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CHARTERS—May 22, 1927, at the Rectory, Oldcastle, County Meath, to the Rev. R. J. and Mrs. Charters, a daughter.

MONTGOMERY—May 22, 1927, at 2 Belmont Villas, Magazine road, Cork, to Eileen (Gladys), wife of James Montgomery, A.C.I.I., a daughter.

PEMBERTON—May 18, 1927, to Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Pemberton, 6 Rosneen Gardens, Sandycove, a son.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 6.

ALLWELL—May 23, 1927, Elizabeth, widow of the late Patrick Allwell, 144 Townsend street, and youngest daughter of the late Peter McKenroe, "Tanyard House," Oldcastle, County Meath. R.I.P. Funeral from Westland Row Church, after 10 o'clock Mass, this (Wednesday) morning to Glasnevin.

BERNEY—May 23, 1927, John Albert Victor (Vivie), son of John and Maria Berney, Bailieborough, aged 8 years. Funeral to-day (Wednesday) at 4 o'clock (new time) to Protestant Church, Bailieborough.

BYRNE—May 24, 1927, at Clifton House, Monkstown, County Dublin, Sarah Annie (Babs), widow of the late William J. Byrne, Solicitor. Funeral private.

CAREY—May 23, 1927, at his residence, Ballybagan, Carbury, County Kildare, Edward Carey. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife and sons and a large circle of friends. R.I.P. Funeral to-day (Wednesday) at 2 o'clock (old time).

CRAMPTON—May 23, 1927, at his residence, No. 7 Fortbarrington road, Athy, William George, only son of the late James Henry Crampton, of Athy. Funeral to-day (Wednesday) 3 p.m.

CRONHELM—May 22, 1927, at Dumfries, Scotland, Rev. Charles A. Cronhelm, B.A., Methodist Minister, aged 63 years.

DEE—May 24, 1927, at 29 St. Lawrence road, Mrs. E. J. Dee, widow of the late W. J. Dee. "Peace, perfect peace." Funeral to Mount Jerome at 9.30 to-morrow (Thursday) morning.

DELANEY—May 19, 1927, at Drogheda, Mrs. Ellen Delaney, widow of the late M. H. Delaney, Captain, R.N., daughter of the late E. P. Johnston, M.D., of Roxywood.

DOYLE—May 24, 1927, at Mullinastill, Shankill, Denis, youngest son of the late Nicholas and Annie Doyle, Grosvenor, Dalkey. Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Funeral arrangements later.

GRAHAM—May 23, 1927, at her residence, 17 Ashbrook terrace, S.C. road, Sarah, beloved wife of Richard Graham. "Peace, perfect peace." Funeral to-morrow (Thursday) morning at Mount Jerome 10 o'clock.

GRIFFITH—May 23, 1927, at Bank of Ireland House, Castlebar, Robert Griffith, late Manager Munster and Leinster Bank, Bandon.

SHEEHAN—May 15, 1927, at The Terrace, Dunmore East, Kathleen, daughter of the late Francis Sheehan, J.P., Dungarvan, County Waterford.

SHIER—May 23, 1927, passed peacefully away, Hugh, D.I., late Royal Irish Constabulary (retired), beloved husband of Margaret Amelia Shier. "Until the day break and the shadows flee away."

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Mrs. Robert Bloomer and family sincerely thank their many kind friends who sent letters and telegrams of sympathy in their recent sad bereavement. They hope this will be accepted as a grateful acknowledgment.

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Dated this 23rd day of May, 1927.
MICHAEL J. HOWLEY, Solicitor for the said Plaintiff, 56 Parnell square, West, Dublin; and Sligo.
To the said Great Southern Railways Company, and all whom it may concern.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

SAORSTAT EIREANN.
Pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Made in the Matter of the Estate of THE REVEREND JOHN CRAWFORD, Deceased, and in a Cause, McMenamy v. Crawford, Rec. No. 1926-10881, the Creditors of the Rev. John Crawford, late of Clounmoylan Abbey, Portumna, in the County of Galway, Clerk in Holy Orders, who died in or about the month of July, 1924, are, on or before the 21st day of June, 1927, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. W. E. Orr, of 11 South Frederick street, Dublin, Solicitor for the Defendant, Frederick Crawford, the Administrator, with the Will annexed of the Deceased, the full particulars of their claims, statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, and all persons claiming to be incumbrancers affecting the real estate of the said Deceased are, by their Solicitors, to enter their claims at the Central Office, Law Courts, Dublin Castle, Dublin, on or before the said 21st day of June, 1927, and they are to prove such claims by the same day, or in default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order.

Every creditor or claimant holding any security is to produce the same to the Examiner at his Office, Law Courts, Dublin Castle, on the 28th day of June, 1927, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.

Dated this 16th day of May, 1927.
CYRIL H. DICKENSON, Assistant Examiner.
JAS. G. E. FITZGERALD, Solicitor for the Plaintiff, 12 Molesworth street, Dublin.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE REQUESTS.
ELIZABETH CASHEN, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Elizabeth Cashen, late of 16 Booterstown avenue, Blackrock, in the County of Dublin, Spinster, by her Will, dated the 3rd day of September, 1924, bequeathed the following Charitable Bequests, viz.:—To the Rev. James O'Mahony, C.C., for Masses for the repose of the Testatrix's soul, £20; to the Parish Priest for the time being of the Church of the Assumption, Booterstown, Co. Dublin, for the purpose of having Testatrix's name inscribed on the Altar List of the Dead, £10; to the Convalescent Home at Linden, Blackrock, Co. Dublin, under the care of the Sisters of Charity, the sum of £50; to the Convent of the Little Sisters of the Assumption, Camden street, Dublin, £50; to the Senior Conference of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul at Blackrock, Co. Dublin, £50; to the Conference of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul at Booterstown, Co. Dublin, £50; to the Night Shelter for Men carried on by the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, at Back Lane, Dublin, £25; to the Parish Priest of Booterstown, at the time of Testatrix's death for the provision of a Chalice for the Parish Church, £50; to the Parish Priest of Booterstown for the building of the proposed new Church at Merrion, Co. Dublin, £100; to the Maynooth Mission to China, for the education of boys in Ireland aspiring to the Chinese Mission the sum of £50; and the Testatrix further bequeathed the following sums for the celebration of Masses in Ireland for the repose of the souls of herself, her parents and relatives, viz.:—to such Priests as her executors shall elect, the sum of £20; to the Rev. James O'Reilly, formerly of Ballytore, Co. Kildare, £15; to the Superior of the Franciscan Fathers, Merchant's Quay, Dublin, £15; to the Rev. Francis Donohoe, Francis street, Dublin, £15; to the Rev. James A. Doyle, Bohernabreena, £15; to the Rev. Father O'Mahony and the Rev. Father Carton, or other the curates of the Parish of Booterstown, Co. Dublin, at the time of her death, £15 each. And the said Testatrix appointed the Rev. Father James O'Mahony, C.C., of 57 Booterstown avenue, Blackrock, in the said County of Dublin, and Patrick Joseph Gilmane, of 16 Booterstown avenue, Blackrock, aforesaid, to be the executors of her said Will. The said Testatrix died on the 12th day of March, 1927, and her said Will was proved by the said Rev. James O'Mahony and Patrick Joseph Gilmane, and Probate thereof granted to them forth of the High Court of Justice in Saorstat Eireann, the Principal Probate Registry, on the 27th day of April, 1927.

Dated this 24th day of May, 1927.
FULLERTON and DOYLE, Solicitors for the said Executors, 32 Nassau street, Dublin.

SAORSTAT EIREANN.
Pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice, made in the Matter of the Estate of ELIZABETH MARY FARRELL, Deceased, and in a Cause, MILEY v. FARRELL, Record No. 1926—No. 4251, all persons claiming to be incumbrancers affecting (1) Part of the Lands of Clonagh, containing 324 acres 1 rood and 21 perches, Statute measure, or thereabouts, situate in the Electoral Division of Straffan and Baltracheen and County of Kildare; (2) Premises situate in Quay street, Dundalk, County Louth; (3) Premises known as the Bungalow, situate in Seatown Place, Dundalk, aforesaid, are, by their Solicitors, to enter their claims at the Central Office, Law Courts, Dublin Castle, on or before the 15th day of June, 1927, and they are to prove their claims by the same day, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order.

Every claimant holding any security is to produce the same to the Examiner at his Offices, Law Courts, Dublin Castle, on the 24th day of June, 1927, at 11 of the clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.

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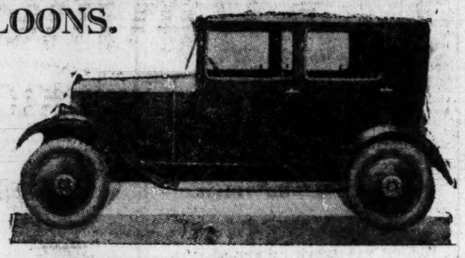

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J. DALY McCANN.
County Secretary.

APPRENTICE, required for Poultry Farm; one with some experience preferred.—E. 2055, this office.

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YESTERDAY'S CASES IN THE COURTS.

COUNTY LIMERICK RATES.

APPEAL BY COUNCIL.

(BEFORE THE CHIEF JUSTICE, MR. JUSTICE FITZGIBBON AND MR. JUSTICE MURNAGHAN.)

The hearing was resumed of the appeal by the defendants in the case of Kathleen V. Hewson, Askeaton, v. Limerick County Council, from a decision of Mr. Justice Sullivan and Mr. Justice O'Byrne in the High Court, making absolute a conditional order of *certiorari* quashing the rates struck by the County Council for the year ending the 31st of March last.

The case came before the Judges in the High Court on an application on behalf of the plaintiff, Mrs. Hewson, a ratepayer of the county, for the order mentioned, on the grounds that the rates so struck contained a provision for an alleged illusory sum of £17,830 in respect of deductions from agricultural grants payable to the County Council for this year; that the rates contained provision for £8,000 by way of recoupment of a deficit of £71,414, which was alleged to have been illegal, over an expenditure on roads during the five years ending March 31, 1925; and also that provision was made for levying current rates otherwise than for the purpose of providing sufficient income to set off outgoings properly incurrable for the year's current services. A similar application, it appeared, had been made on behalf of Gilbert Hewson, husband of the present "prosecutor," who obtained a conditional order of *certiorari* on October 14, 1926, for a similar purpose; but his application to have it made absolute was refused on the 14th December last, the conditional order being discharged.

The hearing of the appeal had been adjourned on the 12th inst. till yesterday in order to enable the defendants, the Limerick County Council, to provide for the Court copies of certain public documents, including minutes of meetings, etc., relating to the striking of the rates. These copies were now exhibited.

Mr. Leonard, K.C.; Mr. Phelps, K.C., and Mr. Corbett (instructed by Mr. P. J. O'Sullivan) appeared for the appellants, the County Council; and Mr. T. A. Finlay (instructed by Messrs. Hayes and Sons) for the respondent, Mrs. Hewson.

Concluding his opening argument in support of the appeal, Mr. Leonard, K.C., submitted that the rates had been properly and validly estimated and struck under the circumstances. Having regard to all the circumstances and the inconvenience under which the liabilities of the County Council had to be budgeted for, he asked their Lordships to hold that the rates were validly struck and to allow the appeal.

Mr. Phelps, K.C., followed on the same side.

Mr. Finlay, for the respondent, dealt first with the sum of £17,834, included in the rates for the year 1926-27 and the working of the agricultural grant, which was first established by Section 48 of the Local Government Act, 1898, and referred to the figures in connection with the agricultural grant and estate duties deductions, explaining that he referred to these illusory figures to show that every opportunity had been seized by the Council to include sums for which they had no proper legal sanction.

Counsel had not concluded when the Court rose, and the further hearing was adjourned till to-day.

GAS COMPANY'S INCOME TAX.

APPEAL AGAINST SPECIAL COMMISSIONERS' DECISION.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE SULLIVAN, MR. JUSTICE HANNA AND MR. JUSTICE O'BYRNE.)

An appeal by the Alliance and Dublin Consumers' Gas Company from a decision of the Special Commissioners for the Purposes of Income Tax was listed on a special case stated on the Revenue side. The question for the decision of the Court was whether the Special Commissioners were right in holding that a sum of £784 16s. 9d. received by the Gas Company from the British Government in consequence of the compulsory detention of steamships belonging to the company during the coal strike of 1920 was chargeable to income tax.

Mr. E. J. Kelly, who, with Mr. Frank FitzGibbon, K.C. (instructed by Messrs. D. and T. Fitzgerald), appeared for the appellants, explained that during the coal strike in England in 1920 orders were issued by the British Government to refuse certificates of clearance of vessels which were full of coal at various English ports. Two small colliers belonging to the Gas Company were then full of coal, ready to return to Ireland, and were held up pursuant to the order of the British Government from the 20th October, 1920, till the 5th November, 1920. The national danger had then disappeared, certificates of clearance were granted, and the Gas Company and the various other shipowners who had been affected by this order lodged claims under the War Compensation Act, and this £784 16s. 9d. was received by the Gas Company during the tax year 1925-26 as its share of a pool which was provided by the British Government as an agreed settlement of these various claims.

Mr. Justice Hanna—Was that in the form of damages?

Mr. Kelly—Your lordship has asked me the most difficult question in the whole case, and one that goes to the whole root of the matter. What that payment was is a question to which my learned friend and I will have to address ourselves—whether it is capital or income.

The words "In consequence of the compulsory detention by the British Government" were important words, as showing why the payment was made, said Mr. Kelly, and another indication of the nature of the payment was the statement that the money was set aside by the British Government for distribution amongst charterers of coal vessels "whose trade had been interfered with or interrupted." He submitted that the distribution had nothing to do with gross profits or gains. This, said counsel, was not an annual profit or gain, but a sum paid for compensation for a most extraordinary act. It was compensation for the loss of earnings, and paid to the Gas Company by the British Government because they went into possession of part of the company's capital. Here, he submitted, was immobilisation of a waste asset. This payment was an accretion of capital, because it was a non-recurrent, isolated payment.

Mr. Lavery, who, with Mr. McCann, K.C. (instructed by Mr. Collins, Revenue Solicitor), appeared for the respondents, the Revenue Commissioners, submitted that the payment was in respect of the use of the ship and in respect of possible earnings by the ship during the time it was held by the British Government, and not for any damage. On the case stated it would appear that there was nothing voluntary in the payment made in this case. It was a compromise on a claim which was believed to be well founded in law. He submitted that it was not an *ex gratia* grant, but a payment strictly made in discharge of a claim, and, even if it were, that it was made to the appellants in respect of their trade. The Commissioners, he submitted, were right in holding as they had done.

Mr. McCann followed on the same side.

Mr. FitzGibbon having replied,

Mr. Justice Sullivan, giving judgment, said that he thought that the fair reading of the facts was that the Gas Company's share of the money paid by the British Government was in respect of loss for the use of their ships, and if that were the fair reading it was obvious that the payment must be taken into account in estimating the profits. He thought that gain had been acquired, and was of opinion that the decision of the Commissioners was correct, and that the sum was properly taken into account for assessment.

Mr. Justice Hanna and Mr. Justice O'Byrne concurred.

The Court accordingly answered the Commissioners' question in the affirmative.

AN ENNISTYMON HALL.

DISPUTE ABOUT ITS USE.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE MEREDITH.)

The hearing began of an action in which Denis Keane and twelve other residents of Ennistymon, Co. Clare, are plaintiffs, and the Venerable Archdeacon Cassidy, P.P., Gort, Co. Galway; the Very Rev. Canon Redmond McHugh, P.P., Ennistymon; the Rev. L. Molloy, C.C., and the Rev. M. Kenny, C.C., defendants. The plaintiffs, as members of the Committee of Management of the Ennistymon Town Hall, sought a declaration that the premises and the plot of ground on which the premises are erected were demised to the defendants as trustees for the Committee for the purposes set out in an indenture of lease, dated the 30th November, 1909, and that the premises were held by the defendants, or one of them, as trustees for the plaintiffs for those purposes. The plaintiffs further asked that the defendants, Archdeacon Cassidy and Canon McHugh, be removed from the trusteeship, and that new trustees be appointed by the Court, and that the lease be handed over to the new trustees when appointed.

The defendants in a counter-claim against the plaintiffs and the Attorney-General sought a declaration that the premises were held upon trust for the purposes of a temperance hall and reading room in order to advance religion and temperance; an injunction restraining the plaintiffs from using the premises as a Town Hall, or for any purposes other than those for the advancement of religion and temperance; that, if necessary, the trusts upon which the hall is held may be ascertained and declared by the Court, and that, further, if necessary, a scheme for the administration and control of the trusts and the management of the hall may be settled by the Court.

Mr. Jellett, K.C.; Mr. Hamilton, K.C., and Mr. Reidy (instructed by Messrs. Kerin and Hickman) were for the plaintiffs; Mr. Maguire, K.C.; Mr. Geoghegan, K.C., and Mr. Hough (instructed by Mr. Louis E. O'Dea) for the defendants; and Mr. McGuckin (instructed by Mr. H. B. O'Hanlon) for the Attorney-General.

The plaintiffs, in their statement of claim, set out that they and all the defendants, with the exception of Archdeacon Cassidy, were at present the committee of management of the premises known as the Ennistymon Town Hall, held under lease, dated 30th November, 1909, made between Valentine McNamara and Archdeacon Cassidy, while parish priest of Ennistymon. Prior to the obtaining of the lease, it was arranged between Archdeacon Cassidy and the committee that, for convenience, the lease should be granted to him and that he would hold the premises as trustee for the committee. In September, 1920, the hall was maliciously burned, and an award under the Criminal Injuries Act of £1,250 was made for the destruction of the premises. This sum was paid over to Canon McHugh, P.P., Ennistymon, of which sum £150 had been handed over to the committee. The committee expended this sum with other moneys raised in the National Bank, Ennistymon, upon the erection of another hall. The bank required the lease as security, but the defendants (other than Father Molloy and Father Kenny) refused to deliver up the lease to the committee, or admit that the lease was made to Archdeacon Cassidy in trust for the committee.

The defendants, in their defence, denied that the premises were correctly described as "the Ennistymon Town Hall," but stated that they were properly known as "the Ennistymon Temperance Hall." The lease, they contended, was made to Archdeacon Cassidy and his successors as parish priests of Ennistymon for the purpose of erecting a temperance hall and reading room on the plot of ground demised. The hall, it was stated, was erected to provide accommodation for the Total Abstinence Society in Ennistymon and decided upon at a meeting of the citizens of the town, summoned by Archdeacon Cassidy. The defendants claimed no interest in the premises other than that they should be used as a temperance hall and reading room. The plaintiffs, they averred, used the premises for a Town Hall and for holding dances and other amusements not connected with the purposes for which the original temperance hall was erected, and particularly that the hall was lent or hired out to persons for holding dances at which intoxicating liquor was supplied. The defendants added that the plaintiffs intended to convert the new, or substituted, hall into a town hall, unless restrained by order of the Court.

The further hearing was adjourned to to-morrow.

LETTERKENNY FARMER'S ESTATE.

CLAIMS BY COMPANY AND BANK.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE MEREDITH.)

The matter of the estate of Bernard McGinley, farmer and licensed trader, late of Drumbollogue, Letterkenny, who died intestate in 1902, came before the Court on further consideration of the Chief Clerk's certificate, applications being made on behalf of the Ulster Manure Company and the Ulster Bank, creditors of the estate, for orders declaring that the amounts of their claims, £309 odd and £365 odd, respectively, were payable out of the estate. The plaintiffs in the suit are Charles McGinley, Susan McGinley and Bernard McGinley, infants, suing in the cause by Mary Alice McGinley, their next friend. The defendants are Mrs. Susan Gallagher, mother of the plaintiffs, and her second husband, William Gallagher.

Mr. Maguire, K.C., and Mr. McGuckin (instructed by Mr. William Kelly) appeared for the plaintiffs; Mr. Geoghegan, K.C., and Mr. E. J. Kelly (instructed by Messrs. McFadden and Co.) for the defendants; Mr. Phelps, K.C., and Mr. Murphy (instructed by Messrs. Beauchamp and Orr) for the Ulster Bank; and Mr. Jellett, K.C., and Mr. Poole (instructed by Messrs. Molloy, Fayle and Felton) for the Ulster Manure Co.

Judgment was reserved.

ALLEGED BREACH OF PROMISE.

LIMERICK GIRL'S APPLICATION.

(BEFORE THE MASTER OF THE HIGH COURT)

In an intended action of Mona Hall, of 3 Wellington terrace, Limerick, v. Joseph Vincent Hall, of 31 Warrington road, Prescott, Lancashire,

Mr. Marnan (instructed by Messrs. Maxwell, Weldon and Co.), on behalf of the plaintiff, applied for an order giving leave to issue a plenary summons for service on the defendant out of the jurisdiction claiming damages for alleged breach of promise of marriage. Counsel moved on the affidavit of the plaintiff, who stated that the intended defendant was a medical practitioner, residing at 31 Warrington road, Prescott. He and she became acquainted at the Royal Southern Hospital in Liverpool, where she resided for several years prior to the month of November, 1924, and they were on intimate and affectionate terms from the year 1923 up to the end of January, 1927. In November, 1924, she returned to Ireland and resided at Limerick with both her parents until the death of her father in February, 1926, and since his death with her mother, save when on occasional visits. The defendant and she corresponded regularly, and it was understood between them that they would becoms engaged to be married when the state of his practice would permit; and on the 1st December, 1925, he wrote to her, stating that when he got eight hundred panel patients they would be justified in getting engaged, and when one thousand, in getting married. "In the month of September, 1926," the affidavit proceeded, "I was at Kilkee, Co. Clare, with my mother. The said intended defendant came over to Ireland and stayed for a week at the West End Hotel, Kilkee. During that week the intended defendant formally proposed to my mother for me, and was accepted. He subsequently came to Limerick for a fortnight, staying at the Glentworth Hotel. In the following month of October, after his return to England, the said intended defendant sent me an engagement ring." The plaintiff further stated that in December, 1926, she went to England and stayed with the defendant's family until the 24th January, 1927, when she returned to Ireland. During her visit to England she was introduced to the relatives and friends of the defendant as his fiancee. Soon after her return the defendant wrote to her suggesting that he was unwilling to marry her, and he ultimately broke off their engagement. The defendant had definitely refused to carry out his contract to marry her. Counsel said that though the parties were of the same name they were not relatives.

The Master—Where was the contract made?

Mr. Marnan—Kilkee, County Clare.

The Master—That is, with the mother (quoting from the affidavit)—"formally proposed to my mother for me."

Mr. Marnan—That is sufficient.

The Master (quoting from affidavit)—"Proposed to my mother for me and was accepted." By whom was he accepted?

Mr. Marnan—By both. He sent an engagement ring from England after his return.

The Master made the order sought.

ACTIONS FOR SLANDER.

THREE TO BE TRIED TOGETHER.

On agreement between the parties, an order was made regarding the mode of trial of three actions, in each of which the plaintiff, Mrs. Ellen Murray, of Coolgarrow, Woodenbridge, Co. Wicklow, claims £500 damages for alleged slander. In one the defendant is Mrs. Mary Johnston, Avoca; in another the defendant is her son, Mr. Edward Johnston, shopkeeper, of Avoca; and the defendant in the third is the Rev. George Gibson Bolton, the Rectory, Castlemacadam, Co. Wicklow. The order made by the Master was that the three actions should be tried together by the same judge and the same jury, the costs of the application to be reserved for the trial judge.

Mr. Tobias (instructed by Mr. George F. Fleming) was for the plaintiff, and Mr. Dockrell, K.C., and Mr. Kingsmill-Moore (instructed by Messrs. M. J. O'Connor and Co.) for the defendants.

PORTRAITS OF FAMOUS PERSONAGES.

SEQUEL TO CANCELLED ORDER.

(BEFORE MR. COMMISSIONER LYNCH AND MR. COMMISSIONER FITZGERALD.)

An appeal was heard in the case of George Jonah Howell, trading as the Museum Galleries (Studios), 58 Short's Gardens, Drury lane, London, v. Charles Morris, bank official, of Gorey. The plaintiff appealed from a decision of Circuit Judge Doyle, at Wexford, dismissing a claim for £52 10s., the price of 25 portraits of famous personages, sold on the 7th September, 1925, to Dr. Patrick J. Quinlan, late of Caheroyan Park, Athenry, Co. Galway, now deceased, or alternately as damages for breach of contract for the purchase of the portraits. Mr. Morris was sued as executor of Dr. Quinlan. The case for the defendant was that immediately after signing the order for the portraits Dr. Quinlan sent a note cancelling the order to the hotel at Athenry, where the plaintiff's representative, Mr. Gaston, was staying; that no post left Athenry that night, and that the order and the letter cancelling it must have reached London at the same time. The portraits were subsequently sent to Dr. Quinlan, but he refused to take delivery. The Circuit Judge held that under the circumstances the order did not constitute a contract and dismissed the claim.

The Commissioners affirmed the decision of the Circuit Judge.

Mr. Hamilton, K.C., and Mr. Monks (instructed by Mr. J. P. Coghlan) were for the appellant, the plaintiff; and Mr. Lupton, K.C., and Mr. Cherry (instructed by Mr. James J. O'Connor) for the respondent, the defendant.

STENOGRAPHER'S NOTES.

POINT IN CIRCUIT COURT APPEAL

(BEFORE MR. COMMISSIONER OVEREND AND MR. COMMISSIONER SHANNON.)

The case of Henry Murphy v. the Minister for Finance was listed on an appeal by the Minister from the decision of the Circuit Judge at Kildare giving the applicant a decree for £98 8s., with witnesses' expenses and costs, for the driving of cattle off his lands at Dunmurraghill, Co. Kildare.

Mr. E. J. Kelly (instructed by the Chief State Solicitor), for the appellant, said that the transcript of evidence taken by the official stenographer was not forthcoming. The stenographer had been removed from his position soon after the hearing, and had refused to supply a report, and the only report available consisted of notes supplied by the learned Circuit Judge. Counsel asked that the decree granted by the Circuit Judge should be converted into a report.

Mr. Wood, K.C., who, with Mr. Hector Hughes (instructed by Mr. D. P. Blaney), appeared for the respondent, the applicant, pointed out that the statute provided that the appeal should be heard on the stenographer's notes.

Mr. Commissioner Overend said that a stenographer refusing to supply a transcript would be in grave contempt of Court, and he would use all the jurisdiction he had to deal with such a contempt. He was not at all sure that the proper course would not be to attach the gentleman and put him in prison for contempt of Court until he lodged his notes. He did not know any of the facts in this case. These were matters that they should have on record by way of affidavit.

The Commissioners adjourned the case in order to enable the appellant to put the facts with regard to the absence of the transcript on record by affidavit.

DUBLIN CIRCUIT COURT (Criminal)

RAID ON CITY UNDER-SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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BELFAST FLAG INCIDENT.

FREE STATE TRICOLOUR REMOVED.

LORD MAYOR DENIES RESPONSIBILITY.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Tuesday.

In connection with the inauguration ceremony of Belfast's Empire Week by the Governor of Northern Ireland, the City Hall was decorated with flags of the British Dominions, including the Tri-colour of the Irish Free State.

After the opening ceremony the Tri-colour was removed and the flag of another Dominion substituted.

The fact that the Free State flag was flown alongside the Union Jack and the flags of the other Dominions was regarded as a graceful tribute to a neighbouring State, and an indication of the better relations existing between North and South; and its removal is regarded as unfortunate and is generally regretted.

The Lord Mayor (Sir William Turner), questioned upon the matter, stated that he had given no orders for the removal of the flag, which apparently was supplied for decoration purposes, together with those for the other Dominions, by the Empire Marketing Board, upon which the Irish Free State is represented by Mr. J. W. Dulanty, C.B.E.

Upon inquiry at the City Hall to-day, I was officially informed that no statement was being issued in reference to the subject. There was an apparent disinclination to discuss the incident.

There the matter remains for the present, but I understand that there will be some reference to the subject at the monthly meeting of the City Council, on June 1st.

CHEMISTS' EXCURSION.

VISIT TO VINOLIA WORKS AND PORT SUNLIGHT.

A party of over two hundred and fifty chemists, in company with their wives and daughters, left the North Wall, Dublin, last night, for Liverpool by two specially chartered steamers, the Lady Limerick and the Lady Louth, of the British and Irish Line.

The trip was organised by Mr. Victor Hanna, M.P.S.I., of 70 Lower Mount street, Dublin, with the object of enabling chemists to study conditions at Port Sunlight, and to learn something of the process of manufacture of Vinolia goods.

Both the Pharmaceutical Society of Ireland and the Dublin and Provincial Retail Drug Association co-operated to make the excursion a success. The applications made for tickets were so numerous that a considerable number of trippers had to be accommodated in the saloons and other rooms on both ships. Every effort was made by the British and Irish Company to ensure the comfort of the passengers, and Mr. David Barry, O.B.E., general manager of the line, visited both vessels last night prior to their departure.

THE ITINERARY.

The party will land in Liverpool about 8.30 this morning, and, after partaking of breakfast on board, they will proceed to Port Sunlight village. A wreath will be laid on the tomb of the late Lord Leverhulme by Mr. F. J. Fitzpatrick, President, Pharmaceutical Society of Ireland. The Vinolia works will be then inspected, and the various processes used in manufacturing the many well-known products will be illustrated. The Planters' Vitamin Margarine Works will also be visited, after which the Lady Lever Art Gallery will be inspected. A luncheon will be given in the Hulme Hall, at which Lord Leverhulme will preside. After lunch the company will make a tour of the offices, soaperies, glycerine refinery, laboratories and printing department of the works, while a trip on the Mersey to view the new dock which is under construction has been arranged for the afternoon.

A high tea will be given in the Hulme Hall at 5.30 p.m., after which a concert will be held for the entertainment of the visitors.

THE RETURN.

At 9 p.m. the party will return to the steamers, which will then leave for Dublin, arriving about 8.30 o'clock to-morrow morning.

Among the excursionists are:—

Mr. P. Allen (Mullingar); Mr. B. R. Allshire, Miss Archer, Mr. Evanson Ashe, Mr. J. Bateman, Mr. C. Batt, Miss J. Batt (Dublin); Mr. Bellew (Sligo); Mrs. Bolger (Carlow); Mr. Bourke, Mrs. Bourke (Roscrea); Mr. P. Brady (Elphin); Mr. Bream (Dublin); Mr. James Brown (Naas); Mr. A. R. Brown (Waterford); Mr. Boate, Mr. A. Byrne, Mr. R. Campbell, M.C.P.S.I., Mr. T. M. Carey (Dublin); Mr. J. J. Connolly (Westport); Mr. J. Conway (Naas); Mr. S. Coulter (Dublin); Mr. J. Corbett (Gort); Mr. F. Crawford (Sligo); Miss Cregan, Mr. Crisp, Mrs. Crisp (Dublin); Mr. R. C. Curtis (Waterford); Mr. J. Daly (Mullingar); Miss D'Arcy, Mr. D'Arcy (Athy); Miss Deakin, Miss Devlin, Mr. Devane (Dublin); Mr. James Dowling, Mr. Thomas Dowling (Naas); Mr. T. J. Doyle, M.C.P.S.I., Mrs. Doyle (Dublin); Miss B. Doyle (Graiguenamanagh); Miss Doyle, Mr. J. Duggan, Mr. W. Duggan, Mrs. W. Duggan, Mr. Dwyer (Dublin); Mr. Dwyer (Cork); Mr. P. Doudican (Swords); Miss Eager (Dublin); Mr. Elliott (Sligo); Mr. J. W. Ellis (Waterford); Mr. W. T. Evans, Mr. R. H. Evans, Mr. E. J. Evans (Dublin); Mrs. Farrar (Graiguenamanagh); Miss Margaret Farrington, Miss Anna Farrington, Miss Sarah Farrington, Mr. William Findlater, Mr. J. Fitzpatrick, Mrs. J. Fitzpatrick, Mr. F. J. Fitzpatrick (President Pharmaceutical Society of Ireland) (Dublin); Mr. P. Fitzpatrick (Waterford); Mr. Fleming (Kingstown); Mr. P. J. Fox (Tramore); Miss Galvin, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Glover (Dublin); Mr. W. J. Graham (Mullingar); Mr. R. Griffin, Mrs. R. Griffin (Dublin); Mr. J. Gubbins (Bray); Mr. T. W. Hall, Mrs. T. W. Hall (Dublin); Mr. J. H. Hamilton, Miss Leslie Hamilton, Miss Dorothy Hamilton (Kells); Mr. Hanbridge, Mrs. Hanbridge (Dunlavin); Mr. Victor E. Hanna (Dublin); Mr. R. Hardy (Dublin); Mr. W. Harman (Carrick-on-Shannon); Mr. Hinds, Mrs. Hinds (Maryborough); Mr. P. M. Hoban (Athlone); Mr. L. Hutchinson (Waterford); Mr. W. H. Ireland (Dublin); Mr. Kiernan, Miss Kiernan (Drumshanbo); Mr. P. J. Kilacky, Mr. E. P. Keating, Miss Kenny (Dublin); Miss Kenny (Mountmellick); Dr. Myles Keogh, T.D., (Dublin); Mr. J. V.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

FREE STATE POLITICS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I noticed a letter in your paper the other day from The O'Mahony, announcing the change in his political ideas. The O'Mahony took a prominent part in the recruiting campaign early in the Great War, and was to be seen in staff officer's uniform. I wonder if he now agrees with Government spokesmen who say that the ex-soldiers were sent out as the political pawns of the old Redmondite Party and got all they deserved. Of these ex-soldiers Lord Methuen stated the other day: "Nothing seems to me more sad, more disheartening or more appallingly wrong."

I wonder if The O'Mahony agrees with the attitude taken up by Mr. O'Higgins when turning down the Merrion square War Memorial as an unpleasant spectacle to behold from the Government office windows.—Yours, etc.,

ALAN S. PATTEN.

Clone, Aughrim, Co. Wicklow,
May 24th, 1927.

CHURCH SERVICES IN IRISH.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—In your report of the proceedings at the final meeting of the General Synod of the Church of Ireland the following rather startling paragraphs appear:—

"Among the resolutions was a proposal to continue the grant of £100 towards the cost of a regular Sunday Service in Gaelic in a Dublin church.

Mr. Maxwell, K.C., asked for information in regard to these Services. He said that, in his opinion, to conduct the worship of God in this fashion to please certain people was little short of a blasphemous farce."

That a responsible Diocesan Synodsman of the Church of Ireland should allude to a Service held in our ancient national cathedral, in the language of our forefathers, as a blasphemous farce, is, indeed, deplorable. I feel sure that Mr. Maxwell's remarks have been read by many non-Gaelic-speaking Irish Protestants, like myself, with feelings of sorrow and shame. In view of the fact that the Honorary Secretary of the Finance Committee of the Church Representative Body had previously announced a record surplus of £54,196, available for allocation, and that a grant of £6,000 to a Northern diocese in aid of church-building in Belfast had just been sanctioned, this undignified outburst in opposition to the expenditure of £100 on Gaelic Services in Dublin is all the more regrettable.—Yours, etc.,

E. F. N. TAYLOR.

Temple Park avenue, Blackrock,
Co. Dublin, May 24th, 1927.

MAGPIES AND THRUSHES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—During winter we have always given lots of food to the birds. They still continue to come for it, and many have built their nests all around—among others, some magpies. Now a pair of young rock-thrushes, fully grown, attack them and drive them away, following them everywhere and croaking harshly. The magpies seem to be quite terrified. We cannot understand why great, strong birds like magpies should be afraid of these much smaller and younger birds.—Yours, etc.,

"BIRD-LOVER."

Co. Roscommon, May 24th, 1927.

"THE CONSTANT NYMPH."

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Will you allow me to add a word to your admirable and enthusiastic notice of the play produced last night at the Abbey by Miss Shelah Richards and Mr. Arthur Shields? I feel strongly that a tribute should be paid to the magnificent acting of Miss Meriel Moore in the part of Florence Dodd. A finer piece of acting I have seldom seen on any stage, and I think that was the general opinion of the audience.—Yours, etc.,

W. J. JOHNSTON.

Lansdowne road, Dublin,
May 24th, 1927.

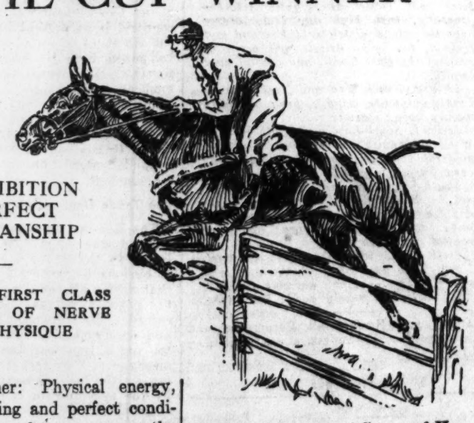
(Continued from Preceding Column.)

Kerr, M.C.P.S.I. (Clones); Mr. F. R. Jackson, Mrs. F. R. Jackson (Athy); Mr. J. L. Johnson, Mrs. J. L. Johnson (Thurles); Miss Lenane (Dublin); Mr. P. Liston, M.C.P.S.I. (Limerick); Mr. Michael Lynch (Tinahely); Mrs. C. Maguire (Ballyshannon); Miss Maguire (Dublin); Mr. Michael Mahoney (Kilkenny); Dr. H. Mason (Registrar Apothecaries' Hall, Ireland) (Dublin); Mr. Eric Massey, Mr. J. Meagher, Mrs. Mearns (Dublin); Mr. Melrose, Mrs. Melrose (Carlow); Miss Morgan (Mountmellick); Mrs. Morgan (Ballyshannon); Mr. E. D. Moran (Clifden); Miss E. Mortier (Dublin); Miss Murphy, Miss Murphy (Monte); Mr. William Murphy, Mrs. William Murphy (Dublin); Mr. J. Murray (Ballinasloe); Miss Murray, Mr. Morris (Dublin); Mr. F. MacDonnell (Dublin); Mr. J. MacDonnell, Mrs. J. MacDonnell (Skerries); Mr. D. McCarthy, Mr. McDermott, Master McDermott, Mr. McDermott, Miss McGuirk (Dublin); Mr. P. McGuirk (Elphin); Mrs. J. McHugh, Mr. T. T. McHugh, Mr. R. T. McHugh (Athy); Mr. J. V. McKeever, Dr. McMahon (Dublin); Mr. E. J. McMahon (Ballyjamesduff); Mr. D. J. Nugent (Vice-President Pharmaceutical Society of Ireland) (Dublin); Mr. O'Carroll (Gorey); Mr. P. J. O'Connell, Miss K. O'Connor (Athlone); Mr. P. J. O'Connor, Mrs. P. J. O'Connor (Wexford); Miss O'Dea (Dublin); Mr. J. J. O'Donnell (Charleville); Mr. J. F. O'Hara, Mrs. J. F. O'Hara (Trim); Mr. O'Meara, Mr. E. O'Reilly (Dublin); Mr. C. L. O'Reilly (Kingstown); Mr. O'Sullivan, Mrs. O'Sullivan, Miss Norah O'Dwyer (Dublin); Mr. J. P. Owens (Donabate); Mr. G. H. Parker, Sir James Percy, D.L., Lady Percy (Dublin); Mr. L. Pierce (Tinahely); Mr. A. Pitt, Mr. S. Phelan (Waterford); Mr. Reinecke, Mrs. Reinecke, Mr. F. E. Ridgeway, Mr. Fred Robinson (Dublin); Mr. C. Rochford (Mullingar); Mr. Rolleston, Mrs. Rolleston (Maryborough); Mrs. Rudd (Dublin); Mr. J. J. Ryan (Tipperary); Dr. Michael Ryan (Treasurer Pharmaceutical Society of Ireland) (Dublin); Mr. Michael Ryan (Tipperary); Mr. Robert Savage (Mullingar); Mr. M. Scanlon (Kingstown); Miss Shannon, Miss Shannon (Dublin); Mr. Shaw, Mr. Shaw (Athy); Mr. Sheeran, Mrs. Sheeran (Dublin); Mr. T. J. Smith (Donabate); Mr. John Smith (President Dublin and Provincial Retail Drug Association) (Dublin); Miss Spence (Dublin); Mr. A. Staunton, Mrs. A. Staunton (Ballinasloe); Mrs. Strahan, Mr. H. J. Sumner (Vice-President Dublin and Provincial Retail Drug Association), Mrs. H. J. Sumner, Mr. Stanley Sumner, Mr. A. J. Swann, Mrs. A. J. Swann (Dublin); Mr. J. Teehan (Kilkenny); Mr. Tennant, Mr. Thom, Mrs. Thom, Miss Thompson, Mr. J. Timoney, Miss E. Twamley, Miss O. Twamley (Dublin); Mr. J. H. Warren, Mrs. J. H. Warren (Tullamore); Mr. D. Warrick, M.C.P.S.I., Mr. Webb (Dublin); Mr. J. M. Wieckworth, Mrs. J. M. Wieckworth (Mullingar); Mr. J. K. Yorke, Mrs. Yorke (Moate).

DUBLIN STAINED GLASS.

In the notice of "Dublin Stained Glass," which appeared in our issue of yesterday, it should have been stated that the smaller window was executed by Miss Ethel Rhind, and that this window is for St. Andrew's Church, Malahide.

THE CUP WINNER



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THE NORTHERN COMMONS.

PROTEST AGAINST LONG ADJOURNMENTS.

THE PRIVILEGES OF PARLIAMENT.

An energetic protest was made by the Opposition in the Northern Parliament yesterday against a resolution adjourning the House after Tuesday next until the 11th of October.

The Opposition raised the question also of the privileges of the Houses, and disagreed with the idea of the British Government legislating for the Northern area in any matter.

"RUSHING TACTICS."

FORTY-SIX EVENINGS' WORK IN A YEAR.

Mr. S. Kyle (Labour) said that he wished to enter a protest against such a long adjournment.

Mr. James Beattie (Labour) said that they had only forty-six sittings to do the business of the six counties. He was not in favour of these rushing tactics, and was preparod to sit for nine months of the year.

The Minister of Finance (Mr. H. M. Pollock) said that they were only pursuing the ordinary course. If any matter of public interest should develop during the summer recess, the Speaker could summon Parliament, as had been done on one occasion at least.

Mr. Devlin said that the result of the resolution was to put those who took an intelligent interest in the work of the House, the Opposition, on the unemployed Parliamentary list. No Parliament could justify itself by meeting forty-six afternoons in the twelve months. Either there ought to be a Parliament, or there ought not, and it was not for him to enter into that controversy. He was one of those who believed in making the best of what they had got, and he was utterly opposed to the "rush" methods which had been adopted in that House. The procedure ought to be changed, now that there was a formidable Opposition in the House. They should try and pass their own bills, and not wait upon legislation passed in the British Parliament.

The resolution was carried by twenty-two votes to seven.

PARLIAMENT'S PRIVILEGES.

On the second reading of the Appropriation Bill, Mr. Devlin said that he wished to raise a vital question with regard to the privileges of the Northern Parliament and the right of another Parliament to legislate for it. Proceeding, he stated that, while the British Parliament retained power under the 1920 Act to legislate for Northern Ireland, those powers should not and, in fact, were not used by other Central Parliaments, such as those in Canada and Australia, without consulting the subordinate Parliaments. He objected to any Parliament legislating for the Northern area except the Northern Parliament. The British Parliament never attempted to legislate for the area controlled by a Dominion or a subordinate Parliament.

The Minister of Labour—We are not a Dominion or a Colony. We are part of the United Kingdom.

Mr. Devlin—We will inscribe that as a confession of impotence. He did not see why this should be made a party question. He went further and said that it amazed him to find that the members of the Government had not taken a stand against the proposal instead of acquiescing in it in a most humble and contrite spirit. Every Act of the Northern Parliament was examined with great care by the officials of the British Parliament to see that it did not infringe British rights, yet the Imperial Parliament could pass legislation which affected Northern Ireland, and he was not aware if the Attorney-General of Northern Ireland examined those measures to see if they infringed the rights of the Northern Parliament.

He put it to the Government to say if it was consonant with such dignity as they possessed that they should permit this transaction to erect a Parliament House at Stormont, which in size would do credit to Washington, if they were quietly going to allow themselves to be robbed of whatever privileges they possessed as a legislative assembly.

MOUNTAIN OUT OF A MOLEHILL.

The Minister of Finance, in reply, said that Mr. Devlin was making a mountain out of a molehill. Although the Imperial Parliament had power to pass legislation for Northern Ireland, in practice that was never done unless by the consent of the Northern Government. With regard to this particular Bill, it was found, after long experience and investigation, that the Act dealing with fertilisers and feeding stuffs passed in 1906 had become obsolete, and it was necessary to protect farmers and others from fraudulent dealers in fertilisers and feeding stuffs. When the bill was submitted the Northern Government, as the Northern Parliament was not then sitting, thought that the bill should also apply to Northern Ireland, and representations were made to the British Government to this effect. He thought that a right and proper and valuable inclusion. With one or two exceptions, all the feeding stuffs for Northern Ireland came from Great Britain, and consequently it was desirable that a joint committee should be appointed to deal with this matter.

Although Northern Ireland was included in the Act by the British Parliament, it did not prevent the Northern Parliament to review it, or, if the Parliament desired either to add to it or take from it, amending it or repealing it. That was made clear by the proposer of the measure in the House of Lords, who suggested that the Irish Free State should also participate in the joint committee to manage the whole operations in connection with fertilisers and feeding stuffs for the advantage of farmers.

Mr. Kyle (Labour) said that it was not a proper method that the Government should acquaint the British Government that it wanted Northern Ireland included in any measure, as every member wished to maintain the rights that they had in the Northern Parliament. If a Labour Government were in power in Great Britain they could easily visualise what might happen, if they adopted the practice of including Northern Ireland in British legislation.

MINISTER'S STATEMENT.

The Minister of Agriculture (Mr. E. M Archdale) said that no regulation could be made by the Advisory Committee on the Fertiliser and Feeding Stuffs Act unless approved by that Committee, on which they had a representative (Dr. Robertson), and laid upon the table of the House. The Northern Parliament could either adopt the regulation or not, as it wished.

Mr. George Henderson (Farmers) said that he thought that the Government should not ask that Northern Ireland be included in British legislation until after they had consulted the Northern Parliament. He did not think that the present financial relations between Great Britain and Northern Ireland were conducive to economic administration. He regarded it as a vicious principle that any savings effected in Northern Ireland administration went to swell the Imperial contributions.

Mr. James Beattie (Labour) asked if it was constitutional for the Government to ask for legislation to be applied to the Northern area without consulting Parliament. As a private member, he thought that the members were being deprived of their rights by this method.

GRAND MASTER'S SPEECH.

Mr. W. McMullan (Labour) said that a few weeks ago he made a speech in the County Tipperary, and from a newspaper report he saw that the County Grand Master of the Orange Order for the County Antrim had criticised that speech, and used strong language. Personally, he (Mr. McMullan) did not object to strong language, as he could use some himself, but he did complain of the concluding statement, to the effect, "There will never be a united Ireland so long as one of you is living, or whilst a rifle is left in County Antrim." I want to know, proceeded Mr. McMullan, if the Home Minister or the Parliamentary Secretary is aware of this speech, or if it has received departmental or Cabinet attention. Why was this gentleman immune from prosecution? Was it because he was an Orangeman, a County Grand Master, and a constituent of the Parliamentary Secretary? I would like an explanation. A few months ago a person at a Labour meeting made no more drastic statement, and he was prosecuted at the instance of the Home Minister, and was now incarcerated in the Belfast Jail. Was there to be one law for the Socialist agitator and another for the Orange agitator? I want the law administered impartially. Surely, he said, they had enough of rifles and revolvers in the recent history of Northern Ireland.

Mr. McMullan said that he would like to know what would happen if he addressed a meeting in County Antrim and was shot dead by some young man who might be incited to do so by the violent speech of this Orange Grand Master.

Mr. Hanna (Parliamentary Secretary)—He would suffer just the same as any other one—he would be hanged.

Mr. McMullan—That would be very little satisfaction to me. (Laughter.) I do not want to see anyone hanged. To my mind, prevention is better than cure, especially in a case like this. (Laughter.)

"NOTHING SEDITIOUS."

Replying, Sir Dawson Bates said that he was grateful to Mr. McMullan for drawing his attention to the speech of the Grand Master of the County Antrim. He was sorry that he had missed it. He would also like to have a copy of the speech delivered by Mr. McMullan in Tipperary. He was sure that it would be equally interesting.

Mr. McMullan—My speech was conciliatory; his was revolutionary.

Sir Dawson Bates—From what I have seen of the speech referred to there is nothing seditious in it.

The bill passed through all the remaining stages, and the House adjourned until Tuesday next.

GIRL PILLION RIDER'S DEATH.

CORONER'S CONDEMNATION AT DUBLIN INQUEST.

Pillion riding was condemned by Dr. Louis A. Byrne, Dublin City Coroner, at an inquest in Jervis Street Hospital yesterday into the death of Miss Jane Mulligan, of Jordanstown, Enfield, Co. Meath, who died in that hospital on Monday as a result of a fall off the pillion seat of a motor cycle on the road between Kilcock and Enfield last Sunday evening. The motor cycle was ridden by John Furlong, Rathmoylan, Enfield, Co. Meath.

Thomas Mulligan, Jordanstown, Enfield, identified the body as that of his daughter.

Dr. J. McGeough, house surgeon, Jervis Street Hospital, said that death, in his opinion, was due to shock following cerebral hemorrhage, which could have been caused by a fall off a motor cycle.

John Lynam, Possextown, Enfield, said that he accompanied Furlong on his own motor cycle. Returning from Kilcock he was about quarter of a mile behind him. About two miles out he came on Furlong holding Miss Mulligan in his arms by the side of the road. The road was clear and there was no traffic.

Another witness said that as the motor cycle passed him he saw the girl put her hand to her head. She looked rather weak. The motor cycle was going at a moderate speed. The girl began to slip off gradually, and the witness noticed the motor cycle slow up. She then seemed to sway and fall face forward off the motor cycle.

Similar evidence was given by Mrs. Alice Malone, Capach, Kilcock.

John Furlong, having been cautioned, said that on Sunday afternoon he left Enfield on his motor cycle, with Miss Jane Mulligan on the pillion. When they were returning from Kilcock Miss Mulligan remarked to him that she had a headache. As he was slowing down she fell off the bicycle. He immediately picked her up, sent for a priest and doctor, and had her conveyed to Jervis Street Hospital, Dublin, by motor car.

The Coroner, in summing up, said that there was one thing that they must censure, and that was this practice of pillion riding. He thought the time had come when the law would have to step in and stop it. Terrible risks were taken, and young people like these must be saved from themselves. Until the law prevented it, it was no offence, and they could not do anything.

The jury returned a verdict of "accidental death," according to the doctor's evidence, and expressed sympathy with the relatives of the deceased girl.

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE ON THE BORDER.

REQUEST FOR RECIPROCAL ARRANGEMENT.

A circular to all Regional Education Committees with schools adjoining the border between Northern Ireland and the Free State has been issued by the Northern Ireland Ministry of Education. The circular states:—

"I am directed by the Minister of Education to inform you that a communication has been addressed to this Ministry by the Minister of Education for the Irish Free State in regard to the enforcement of school attendance in border areas.

"The School Attendance Act, 1926 (Irish Free State), which provides for the regular attendance of children between the ages of six and fourteen years of age at a national or other suitable school, was brought into operation in the whole area of the Free State on 1st April, 1927. The enforcing authority under the Act is the Superintendent of the Civic Guard. The Superintendent, however, is empowered to exercise his functions through one or more of the members of the Civic Guard under his command at each station. The principal teacher of every national and other school that may be certified as suitable is required to furnish to the Civic Guard stations a weekly list of children who are absent on any day or days, with such particulars as to the cause of absence as may be furnished to the parents, and these weekly lists form the basis on which the Act is being operated.

PROPOSALS.

"With a view of the effective enforcement of the Acts in both areas in respect of the children in question, it is suggested by the Free State authorities that a reciprocal arrangement might be established by an interchange of statistics and particulars of the attendances and absences of children between the enforcing authorities in the respective areas in the following lines:—(a) Children from Northern Ireland attending school in the Free State.—The school attendance officer at each Civic Guard station to transmit at intervals (monthly, or more frequently, if desired) to the attendance officer of the adjoining Northern area a list of such children, as furnished by principal teachers, giving particulars of their attendances and absences. (b) Children from the Free State attending school in Northern Ireland.—School attendance officers to transmit lists to the Civic Guard.

"The Northern Minister requests the observations of the Regional Committee in regard to the proposed arrangement."

BRAY AGAIN.

WICKLOW COUNTY COUNCIL'S ACTION AWAITED.

The controversy centring around the name of Bray, Brí or Brí Chualann reached another stage at the meeting of the Wicklow County Council last Monday, when official intimation was received from the Urban Council as to the result of the recent plebiscite.

Mr. Joseph Metcalfe said that nobody was satisfied with the ballot. It should have been taken on the Parliamentary Register instead of the Local Government Register.

Mr. E. Byrne said that as Chairman of the Urban District Council he acted as returning officer, and the counting was carried out properly.

The Secretary said that the discussion was premature, as notification had not been given on the agenda, and eventually it was decided to put the matter on the agenda for the next meeting.

MADAME ROCK'S MATINEE.

This afternoon, at 2.30 o'clock, Madame and the Misses Rock are holding their twentieth annual pupils' dancing display at the Abbey Theatre, Dublin, where a special illustration of the new Saga dancing will accompany "The Lament of Owen Roe O'Neill" in rhythmic movement. An Egyptian interlude, "The Feast of Amen," with typical solos, and a fine chorus dance of sun worshippers; A Spring Garden; A Blue Bird solo; a spirited scena, "Treasure Island," and a prelude and song composed and sung by little Violet Floyd, will be outstanding features of the programme. Also there are to be many solos covering different aspects of dancing technique, the classical and ballet development work; but then again most of

REDUCED RATES FOR ELECTRICITY.

DUBLIN COMMISSIONERS' ANNOUNCEMENT.

CHARGES DOWN UNDER ALL HEADS.

In a report issued yesterday the Dublin City Commissioners announced reductions in the prices of electricity to take effect as from the 1st April last. In the aggregate the reductions amount approximately to 25 per cent.

The report states that when the Dublin Corporation in 1920 broke off diplomatic relations with the Local Goverment Board, it was no longer possible to obtain sanction from the Board, or from the Electricity Commissioners, for the raising of loans to defray capital expenditure on the electricity undertaking. The alternative courses then open were either to stop electrical development work or to finance development work out of the Electricity Department's revenue.

It was decided to adopt the latter course, and since then no loans have been raised for electricity purposes.

During the six years from April 1, 1920, to March 31, 1925, a sum of approximately £300,000 which resulted from the working of the Electricity Department was re-invested in electricity development work. In addition to this, the gross indebtedness of the undertaking was written down from £559,706 to £429,945.

BUSINESS DOUBLED.

Although the prices charged for electricity had necessarily to be kept higher than would have been the case had money been borrowed for development work, nevertheless the prices charged were competitive. This may be judged from the fact that during the period April 1, 1920, to March 31, 1927, the business done was more than doubled, and the units sold increased from 10,527,000 to 22,000,000.

During this period the Great Northern Railway and the Dublin Port and Docks Board closed down their generating stations, and contracted with the Corporation for their full supply of electricity.

During the same period all the new factories and works which started in Dublin also took their power from the city works. Notable amongst these were the Port Milling Co., and Messrs. Players', and Wills', and Clarke's tobacco factories. Supplemental supplies were also given to Rathmines and Pembroke Electricity Works. In fact no new power business in Dublin was allowed to pass by the Electricity Department, and, in addition, a larger turn over from private power plants to the city supply was secured. This shows plainly that the prices charged by the city works were competitive and attractive. Whilst this new business was being secured, the electricity undertaking was being placed in a stronger financial position year by year, and the benefit of this improved position was being reaped by the consumers as reductions in the prices were being made year by year.

As from the beginning of the year 1926-27 the original method of financing development work from loan has been reverted to, and further substantial reductions in the rates charged for electricity can now be put into operation.

DEPARTMENT'S REVENUE.

The report referred in detail to the effect of the coal strike in Britain, and added that it was estimated that the net result was that the output from the city works remained normal, although the financial result was very seriously affected.

The revenue of the department for the year ended March 31, 1927, was approximately £320,000, exclusive of meter rents, and the surplus is estimated at £55,000 before making provision for reserve, renewals or contributions to rates. There are no very abnormal items, with the exception of the larger excess expenditure on coal, amounting to over £50,000. The contract price of coal was 18s. 3d. per ton; during the stoppage prices as high as 105s. were paid.

The generating costs per unit generated amounted to 1.11d. per unit, but, if the contract price only had to be paid for the coal, the costs would have been 0.65d. per unit generated.

It is not possible, the report goes on, to say definitely what price will have to be paid for coal during the year 1927-28, but, judging by the market prospects, coal should be obtainable at £1 per ton. Estimating on this basis, on the present output there should be available some £105,000 surplus, out of which provision must be made for new capital charges, for renewals, reserve, and for the reduction of the indebtedness to rates. A figure of some £20,000 is assumed for the new capital charges for the year 1927-28, and reductions in the rates of charge are now proposed which will amount on present output to some £82,000 per annum. This will absorb practically all the surplus, and further new capital charges must be met out of the revenue from new business. In estimating these new capital charges it should be noted that sanction has already been asked for the expenditure of £475,000. Some £100,000 has been expended since 1st April, 1926, and it is estimated that a further £200,000 may be expended by the end of the current year. The new capital charges will eventually reach a figure of some £50,000 within a few years.

THE REDUCTIONS.

The reduction in prices of electricity now proposed amount in the aggregate to approximately 25 per cent. The reductions are as follow:—

	Reduction.	New Rate.
Lighting—		
Residential	2d.	4d.
Offices and Shops...	2d.	5d. to 2d.
Shop Window	1d.	2d.
Power	½d.	1½d. min. 3d. max.
Bulk Supplies—		
Corporation and Government. Township Special Rate—Special rate to be 4d. per unit, to follow straight line scale from 1½d. to ¾d. per unit.		
Heating—		
Non-residential	¾d.	2d.
Residential	½d.	1½d.
Cooking	½d.	1½d. to 1d.
Domestic Rate	2½ p.c. plus ½d.	12½ p.c. plus 1½d.
Public Lighting	¾d.	1½d
Meter Rents.....	25 p.c	Less 25 p.c.
Factory Lighting	5d.	2d
Cooker Hire	30 p.c.	10 p.c.

On applying the new rates of charge it is proposed that incidental alterations shall be made in the existing arrangements as follow:—

Lighting—The first rate of 4d. is to apply to all domestic consumers, and also to theatres, daily newspapers, cinemas, concert halls and churches. There will be no special combination rate as set out in the old rates of charge. Long-hour shop lighting, such as basements, etc., will be charged at 4d. if on a separate meter.

Discount Scale.—For large shop consumers a new quantity discount will remove the anomalies which occasionally arise under the present scale. The scale will be as follows:—

For the first 20,000 units..... 5d.
Between 20,000 and 50,000..... 4d.
All above 50,000 ..... 2d.

Heating Rates—Electricity used for general heating will be charged at 2d. per unit, and this rate will also apply to electricity for photographic apparatus, for illuminated advertising signs used up to 11 p.m., and for electrical goods displayed for sale. General heating arranged so as not to come on the peak load will be charged at 1½d. per unit. Domestic heating will be charged at 1½d. per unit. Water heating with constant loading will be charged at 1d. Storage water heating between 11 p.m. and 7 a.m., ½d.; hotel bedroom heating, 1½d.

Cooking—For cooking, up to 5,000 units per annum, the charge will be 1½d. per unit. For all units, up to 5,000 units per annum, the charge will be 1½d. per unit. For all units over 5,000 per annum. the charge will be 1d. per unit. The hire of cookers will be based on 10 per cent. on the capital cost, instead of the present 15 per cent., and the figure will cover the meter rent if a separate meter is needed.

Standby Supply.—The charge for standby supplies will be £5 per annum per kilowatt installed. Any electricity used to be charged in addition at the ordinary rate.

Meter Rentals—The present meter rentals will be reduced by, approximately, 25 per cent. The standard small single-phase meter will be charged at 1s. 6d. per quarter, and the other meters at the multiple of 6d., which is nearest to the 25 per cent. reduced rate.

At the new rates of charge the Dublin rates will compare favourably with rates charged in Great Britain or on the Continent.

A MILLION MORE UNITS FOR COOKING.

Referring to the prospects of future business the report states that it is to domestic consumption that one must look for future development work; but then again most of the residential population of the city had their homes in the townships, and so considerable length of supply mains were necessary to reach them. The number of consumers per mile of cable was low in Dublin, and distribution costs correspondingly high.

The extended use of electricity for purposes other than lighting would assist considerably, and "free" wiring should also help if the Corporation be given powers to arrange for wiring. The idea was not a new one; it was common many years ago, but was not found very successful. The prospects should be better now under the altered conditions.

The report goes on to say that good progress had been made in the pushing of electric cooking. Customers were very well satisfied with results, and an increase of about a million units is expected from this source during the coming year. The new showrooms would be completed during the summer, and the department was spending, and proposing to spend, a considerable sum on their publicity work, from which a satisfactory return can be expected in the years to come.

The report was signed by the three Dublin Commissioners.

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DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT

MAN WITH A PARCEL.

CHARGE OF STEALING TWELVE SUITS.

(BEFORE MR. KENNY.)

Michael Doolin, Chancery lane, and Daniel McManus, of no fixed address, were remanded until Friday on a charge of breaking into the wholesale tailoring establishment, 37 Golden lane, between the 1st and 9th inst., and stealing twelve suits of clothes, value £45, the property of Samuel Clein.

Giving evidence, Detective-Sergeant Crimmins said that while walking in Parnell street with Detective Quinn he saw the accused men going towards O'Connell street, McManus having a parcel under his arm. They followed them until they separated, and then accosted McManus, who, when questioned as to what was in the parcel, said that it was a suit of clothes that he was going to pawn. He adm

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TO-DAY (WEDNESDAY).
8. 0 a.m.—Prayer Meeting.
11.30 a.m.—Bible Reading.
3. 0 p.m.—Convention Meeting.
7.30 p.m.—Convention Meeting.
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PUBLIC MEETING,
THE MILLS' HALL,
TO-MORROW (WEDNESDAY), 24th May, 4 p.m.
Speakers—MR. CRAWFURTH SMITH, MRS. CRAIG-DAVIDSON and others.

BOMBAY MISSIONARY SETTLEMENT
ANNUAL MEETING,
TO-DAY, 4 O'CLOCK,
AT 21 MOLESWORTH STREET.
Speaker—Mrs. BROLLY (late of the Settlement).
Everyone Welcome.

OLD PORTORA UNION.
The Annual Dinner will be held in the Lough Erne Hotel (near Enniskillen) at 8 p.m., on Friday, the 3rd of June, 1927. The Vice-Provost of Trinity College, Dublin, President of the Union, will preside.
The Boat Race will be rowed the same afternoon, and the Cricket Match will be played the following day.
Those intending to be present should communicate on or before Friday, the 27th instant, with the Headmaster.
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O. W. McCUTCHEON,
Hon. Secretaries.

DIOCESE OF ACHONRY.
UNION OF ACHONRY (CATHEDRAL PARISH) AND KILLORAN.
The Board of Nomination will (D.V.) meet on June 7th in the Synod Hall, Ballina, at 3 p.m., to nominate an Incumbent for the above Union. Particulars may be obtained from the Archdeacon of Achonry, The Rectory, Collooney, Co. Sligo.

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APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED FROM QUALIFIED PERSONS for the undernoted Position:—
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Application Forms, together with particulars in regard to the School, will be forwarded to Candidates on receipt of stamped addressed envelope (foolscap size).
Dated this 23rd day of May, 1927.
DAVID C. QUAIL,
Director of Education.

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ADDRESS
TO THE ELECTORATE OF COUNTY WICKLOW.
I have been asked to be the Government Candidate for County Wicklow at the coming General Election, and I was duly selected as the only Government Candidate, on Sunday, May 22nd, at a Convention held by the Cumann na nGaedheal, at Rathdrum. As I have never been a Politician, nor take any part in Politics, I feel it is only fair to give my reasons for deciding to go up now as a Candidate. My chief, and main reason, is, that I consider it is the duty of everyone to do all they can to help their country.
To do this properly, everyone must try to leave out all personal feelings and try and think only what is best for their country, and I firmly believe that everyone who will honestly face facts as they are and think country—and only country—can come to one conclusion only, and that is, to support the present Government at the coming Election.
Every fair-minded person—and everyone can be fair-minded if they will only try—must admit that the present Government have done remarkably well under the very greatest of difficulties, and, to my mind, it would be a fatal set-back to this country to make now any change of Government.
For these reasons I decided to do all I could to help the Government. I am a Wicklow man myself, and a son of The O'Mahony.
I regret very much that, due to the shortness of time, I will not be able to call and see personally all I should like to, but I am doing all I can to see as many people as possible.
I ask the Electors of County Wicklow to think fairly and squarely on the issues at stake, and to support and help me, so that, in doing so, they will help to hold a stable Government in power for the next five years.
DERMOT GUN O'MAHONY,
GRANGE-CON, COUNTY WICKLOW.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND AGRICULTURE.
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The Department are prepared to receive Offers for the Renting of the Rough Shooting over their Lands at the undermentioned Forest Properties for the Season ending 28th February, 1928:—

		Acres.
COUNTY CARLOW	Bahana, Drumond, and Big Wood	275
"	CAVAN—Ballebor	401
"	CLARE—Kilrush (inclusive of 144 Acres of adjoining Land over which the Department possess Sporting Rights)	550
"	CORK—Kilworth	2,760
"	GALWAY—Derrycrag and Kylagowan	435
"	GALWAY—Ballygar (Castlekelly)	1,698
"	LEIX—Baunreagh, Bordwin and Glendine (Slieve Bloom Mountains Mountrath)	3,146
"	LOUTH—Ravensdale Park	864
"	TIPPERARY—Dundrum (inclusive of 1,760 Acres of adjoining Lands over which the Department possess Sporting Rights)	3,087
	Gorteenbal, Ballyporeen	393
	Poulmaleen, Carrick-on-Suir	225
"	WATERFORD—Cannon Wood	120
"	WEXFORD—Ballyfad, Inch	364
	Camolin	646
	Coolmelagh, Newtownbarry	506
"	WICKLOW—Ballycullen, Rathnew Barnbawn, Ballinastraw, and Garryduff, Rathdrum	180
	Tinakilly and Three Wells, Aughrim	360
	Ballyluskand Ballymachara, Ashford	184
	Lugduff Mountain, Glendalough	132
	Clogheragh and Cronkeen, Glenmalure	2,159
	Ballyteigue and Greenamore, Rathdrum	1,364
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Further particulars may be obtained on written application to the Secretary, Department of Lands and Agriculture, Forestry Division, 9 Upper Mount street, Dublin.
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The Irish Times.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 25, 1927.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

An energetic protest was made by the Opposition members in the Northern Parliament yesterday against a resolution adjourning the House for the long period from Tuesday next until the 11th October.—(Page 5.)

The Dublin Commissioners yesterday announced reduced rates for electricity.—(Page 5.)

The Lord Mayor of Belfast yesterday denied responsibility for the removal of the Free State flag from the City Hall.—(Page 5.)

A document which has come into the hands of the Civic Guard makes it clear that there is no truth in the rumour that an election pact has been reached between the two wings of the Irish Republican Party.—(Page 7.)

Many of the Free State Ministers addressed election meetings yesterday.—(Pages 7 and 11.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

The King and Queen held at Buckingham Palace last night the first Court of the season, the attendance totalling nearly one thousand.—(Page 8.)

Mr. Baldwin in the House of Commons last night announced the Government's intention to terminate the trade agreement with Russia, to require the withdrawal of the delegation and the Soviet Missions, and to recall the British Mission from Moscow.—(Page 7.)

Sir Donald Macalister, presiding yesterday at the meeting of the General Medical Council, said that the agreement regarding the Free State Register appeared to afford a satisfactory solution of the professional problems created by the establishment of the new Governments in Ireland.—(Page 8.)

ABROAD.

The Marquis de Pinedo, while flying the Atlantic from Newfoundland, came down in the sea, and is being towed into Fayal Harbour, in the Azores.—(Page 7.)

SPORTING

At Limerick Junction yesterday Pearleen won the Sologhead Plate, Swift Bird the Directors' Plate, King Eagle the Ballykisteen Plate, Annan Dale the Foxhunters' Plate, Gay Cavalier the Dublin Plate, and Northern Linnet the Railway Plate.—(Page 12.)

At Birmingham The Cheetah won the Midland Breeders' Foal Plate.—(Page 12.)

At Lewes Craignure won the Lewes Spring Handicap.—(Page 12.)

FINANCIAL.

London Stock Markets were stagnant and price changes very slight.—(Page 10.)

Loanable credits in Lombard street were further curtailed, and a large amount was borrowed from the Bank. Overnight loans commanded 4 to 5 per cent. Discounts were firm, and rates were advanced.—(Page 10.)

Dublin Market was small and idle, and changes in prices insignificant.—(Page 10.)

The Last Straw.

In the House of Commons yesterday the Prime Minister revealed the results of the recent raid on Arcos. The police did not find the important document which had been stolen from the War Office, but they found ample evidence that it had passed through Arcos on its way to Moscow. They found also a hundred proofs that from 49 Moorgate a gang of political thieves and conspirators has waged a malignant and persistent campaign against British interests. Two of the Russians who were found on the premises are notorious anti-British agitators. Among the documents that the police seized were a number of letters, addressed to leading Communists in Great Britain and the United States, which established conclusively the Soviet Government's control of the Communist movements in those countries. Other documents disclosed a plot, also contrived in Moscow, for the gradual corruption of the British mercantile marine by sailors—including negroes and Hindus—who have received a special training for the purpose. These documents boasted that certain British seamen, thus rendered "politically conscious," had done useful service in a recent strike. Careful instructions for the circulation of "cooked" news from China among British trade unionists were found in other papers. Mr. Baldwin, who spoke with almost judicial calmness, said that the results of the raid furnished convincing proof of two facts—that military espionage and subversive activities had been directed and executed from 49 Moorgate, and that the Russian Trade Delegation and the Soviet Government must take full responsibility for them.

The British Government and people have been extraordinarily patient of Bolshevist intrigue. Soviet Ministers have denounced British "capitalism" and have vilified British policy. Soviet agents have assailed British institutions in every part of Asia, and have been one cause—perhaps, the main cause—of Britain's enormous losses in China. Nevertheless, the Arcos Company has been permitted to establish itself in London. An official trade delegation has been allowed to advance Russian interests in the British money market; and a Soviet Mission, with all the unrestricted privileges of international diplomacy, has been suffered to exist in London. In 1921, and again in 1923, the Russian Government acknowledged formally the value of these privileges by pledging itself to deserve them. It gave, on both occasions, solemn promises that it would abstain everywhere from hostile action against the British Empire. These promises were made only to be broken, and three months ago, when Russian intrigue in China was flagrant, the British Government came nearly to the end of its almost Griselda-like patience, and warned the Soviet that further breaches of the two agreements would not be tolerated. The Soviet's reply in February contained an energetic denial of the charge that the Communist, Jacob Borodin, was acting on its behalf at Canton. Among the documents which have come now into the British Government's possession is a telegram from the Soviet which instructs its agents at Peking that "Comrade Borodin is to take his orders direct from Moscow."

No civilised Government can have permanent dealings with a State which ignores the rudimentary decencies of international intercourse. Britain's "correct" relations with the Soviet have been a mischievous farce for many months, and at last the British Government has decided that the farce must end. Mr. Baldwin announces that it will terminate immediately the trade agreement with Russia, will require the withdrawal of the trade delegation and the Soviet Mission from London, and will recall the British Mission from Moscow. This decision is subject to the approval of the House of Commons; but it is certain that to-morrow's debate on the Labour Party's motion will result in an impressive verdict for the Government. The only substantial argument against a breach of official relations with Russia is the loss of trade which that breach will entail; but, even for "a nation of shopkeepers," as Napoleon called the English, certain things are more important than trade. These things include national prestige, security and dignity. During the last five years Britain's anomalous relations with the Soviet have injured her authority in all parts of the world. For the sake of her trade with Russia she has seemed to endure insult, has lost caste with India and China, and actually, by her tolerance of Soviet intrigue and falsehood, has strengthened the Moscow clique's hold upon Russia's miserable community. The British Government's decision will create a healthier state of affairs. It will be a heavy blow for the Communist conspiracy and it will help to shatter the Soviet's already waning power in Russia and in the Far East. Ultimately, its wisdom will be justified from the sole standpoint of imperial trade.

The Cost of Current.

The report of the Dublin Electricity Undertaking, which is signed by the three City Commissioners, discloses a satisfactory condition of affairs. When the Dublin Corporation broke off all relations with the Local Government Board in 1920 it was estopped from the raising of loans for the purpose of capital expenditure on the electricity undertaking, with the result that it was forced for a period of six years to reinvest a portion of its profits in development work. During that period a sum of £300,000 was taken from profits and sunk in the undertaking, and, naturally, it was impossible to reduce prices to the consumer. The department has been managed so well, however, that, despite the coal strike of last year, which cost £50,000 in excess coal charges alone, the City Commissioners now are in a position to reduce their prices to the public by amounts that, in the aggregate, come to about 25 *per cent.* Henceforward—in fact, as from April 1st—the domestic consumer of current for lighting purposes will pay only 4d. *per* unit, as compared with the former price of 6d. The surplus for the year ended March 31st, 1927, was £55,000; but the Commissioners estimate that at the end of the present financial year there will be a surplus of £105,000, and it is in anticipation of this profit that the substantial reductions in charges have been made. Yet the Dublin consumer well may feel anxious concerning the future. By virtue of the legislation that has just passed through the *Oireachtas*, the Dublin electricity undertaking is likely to disappear as an independent concern. According to the Minister for Industry and Commerce, its possession is essential to the success of the Shannon scheme, and in all probability its management will be entrusted in the near future to a Board of Directors, of which nothing is known. Under its present management the undertaking has been able to give its customers a reduction of 25 *per cent.* Will the new Board be able to improve on that achievement? We confess that we are very dubious about the whole business. The suggestion that the undertaking is managed so badly that a change is necessary is patently absurd. After all, the consumers are the best judges of its efficiency, and the business community desires that the undertaking shall continue to distribute current in Dublin, buying it in bulk from the Shannon Board on the basis recommended by the Continental experts. Mr. McGilligan's proposals are the law of the land, and everybody must try to make the best of them. We are convinced, however, that the new Board will make a grave mistake if it employs its powers to acquire the Dublin undertaking. Unless it can sell current more cheaply than the present rates in the city, it will make an exceedingly bad impression on the public; and the fate of the whole Shannon scheme will depend to a great extent on first impressions.

Ireland in the Bronze Age.

When Dr. Bremer, Keeper of the Irish Antiquities at the National Museum, Dublin, died last year and some account of his labours was published, Irishmen were reminded that patriotism has left the overwhelming bulk of Irish research work to foreign scholarship. On Monday, before the Royal Irish Academy, Professor R. A. Stewart Macalister gave an account of Dr. Bremer's discoveries, and announced that the dead savant's study of Ireland in the Bronze Age soon would be made available to the Irish public. A fascinating chapter in our island history then will be made legible. Always antiquity has a peculiar charm unknown to modern history. It is interesting to know who lived in a certain street a hundred years ago, but the thought of the first seekers after gold hewing their way through the forests of South Leinster, or the image of rugged tribes of the Stone Age raising their dolmen, the landmark of five provinces, on the Hill of Usnagh, will excite the imagination of the most incurious traveller. The Bronze Age, which Dr. Bremer explored, began roughly at 1500 B.C. His researches confirmed traditional belief in the primitive colonisation of Ireland from Spain. In the early Bronze Age Irish metal workers of Firbolg stock, who for long had mined copper in what now are the counties of Waterford, Cork and Kerry, imported tin from the mines of their Galician kinsmen in North-West Spain. A recent writer suggests that Sancho Panza is a portrait of the racial type common in the Bronze Age to the two lands. When we remember the squat figure of the Spanish squire, his cunning, his ignoble spirit, and his preference for food before poetry, we recognise the same type as that described by the Irish annalist: "Every one who is a tattler, guileful, tale-telling, noisy, every mean, unsteady and inhospitable person, every slave, and every one who loves not to listen to music and entertainment—these are the descendants of the Firbolg." The Firbolg, however, were not the only Irishmen of the Bronze Age. Tradition and research agree in describing another, and more advanced, race—Minoan exiles, perhaps—who descended from the North and conquered half the island. At last came the Iron Age, and the Celts cleared central Ireland with their spears of the new metal. Don Quixote had succeeded Sancho Panza.

The Average Man.

There was a man in one of O. Henry's stories who was puzzled by the phrase "man about town," and never could find anyone of whom it was a satisfactory description. Scanning the passers-by in the street, he was knocked down by a motor car and was taken to hospital. On the next day he read an account of the accident in a newspaper, which said: "The victim appeared to be a typical man about town." A professor of psychology at Columbia University has been attempting to define the attributes of a still more elusive personage—the average man—basing his deductions chiefly on statistics furnished by the army, the educational authorities and insurance companies. The average man, according to the professor's conclusions, is, of course, of the average height and weight, and dies at the average age of mortality. He marries "early"—but can this be right? Surely he marries neither early nor late, but at the average time? He is credulous, and has a limited stock of general information and general culture. He is rather conceited, and talks mainly about personalities and the weather, and his "reactions" towards religion are known. The pains which must have been lavished on this inquiry seem to be somewhat misplaced. Any person who varies, ever so slightly, from the professor's greatest common measure of mental, moral and physical characteristics cannot be the average man. Fitting his tongue "to dialogues of business, love or strife," the vocabulary of the average man may be limited to 7,500 words, but they will not be exactly the same 7,500 as his neighbour's. If he is commonplace in all other ways, he yet has some odd idiosyncrasy—he has not heard the joke about the Scotsman in London; he never went to a horse race or he does not possess a crystal set. An average man in real life would be more extraordinary than a Cæsar or a Napoleon.

BREAK WITH RUSSIA.

SOME REPRESENTATIVE VIEWS.

The following views were obtained last night by representatives of the Press Association on the Prime Minister's statement on Russia:—

SIR H. PAGE-CROFT (Conservative).

I join with the whole Conservative Party in rejoicing that a hornet's nest is to be removed from our midst.

MR. LESLIE URQUHART, (Chairman of the Russo-Asiatic Consolidated, Limited).

The whole civilised world will approve the decision of the British Government to sever relations with a Government whose main object for the past ten years has been the destruction of the British Empire.

COMMANDER LOCKER LAMPSON (Conservative).

This formidable gesture, in the face of the world, cannot but react unfavourable upon the Soviet.

Mr. P. COATES, (Secretary to Anglo-Russian Parliamentary Committee.

A severance of diplomatic relations between the two countries may seriously imperil the situation.

COMMANDER KENWORTHY, (Labour).

There has not been a sufficient case made out for the breaking off of relations, with all the consequences that may flow from it. I consider that 50,000 people will be thrown out of work.

MR. E. F. WISE, (British Economic Adviser to the Russian Co-operative Organisations)

The effect of the decision is to make trade, with some exceptions, practically impossible. The hard position is that trade agreement gave the minimum of facilities necessary for the conduct of trade on anything like a large scale, and if these are withdrawn there will be constant uncertainty as to what will happen next.

LIBERAL PARTY'S ATTITUDE.

No statement on the Government's decision will be made by the Liberal Party Headquarters until after the party meeting in the House of Commons to-day.

LABOUR PARTY AND THE CENSURE MOTION.

The Press Association's Lobby Correspondent says:—Mr. Ramsay Macdonald presided over a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Parliamentary Labour Party at the House of Commons last night. I understand that the situation created by the Prime Minister's statement on the Arcos raid and the severance of Anglo-Soviet relations were discussed. Whether it would be advisable to put down a motion of censure on the Government for its decision was also considered. The full party will meet to-day under the chairmanship of Mr. Macdonald, and I gather that it will have before it a recommendation to put down a motion so worded that while not avowedly a censure, it might be regarded as such by the Government.

Some of the Labour members regret the decision to ask for a day this week to discuss the situation, but there is a desire in all parts of the House to debate the position caused by the Government's decision.

LOBBY OPINION.

Opinions differed widely in the Lobby as to the wisdom of the Government's decision. Most of the Government's supporters were warmly in favour of its policy, but it was stated that one Conservative member, holding a minor official position, intended to resign as a protest against the Government's action. Conservatives, for the most part, expressed their belief that trade with Russia would not suffer as a result of a diplomatic rupture. They cited the case of the United States of America, which has never been in diplomatic relations with the Soviet Government, but has carried on trade with Russia.

The majority of members of all parties, however, prefer to await fuller details of the Government's precise intentions before expressing opinions.

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS.

Dublin Union Commissioners, 11 a.m.
Law Courts, The Castle, 11 a.m.
Dublin Circuit Court, The Castle, 11 a.m.
Circuit Criminal Court, Green street, 11 a.m.
Madame Rock's Matinée, Abbey, 2-3 p.m.
Garden Fête at St. Anne's, Clontarf.
Drumcondra Hospital, 4.10 p.m.
Chamber of Commerce, Ordinary General Meeting, 3
N.D. Rural Council, 1.30 p.m.
Gaiety Theatre—"Peg o' My Heart."
Theatre Royal—Varieties.
Olympia Theatre—"Are You There?"
Abbey Theatre—"The Constant Nymph."
Metropole—"Puppets."
La Scala Theatre—"The Blue Streak."
Grafton Cinema—"The Marriage Hotel."
Pavilion Cinema, Dun Laoghaire—"The Isle of Retribution."

COURT AND PERSONAL.

Yesterday the Prince of Wales distributed the prizes to the Queen's Westminster and Civil Service Rifles at the Queen's Hall, Buckingham Gate, and later dined at the Junior United Service Club, which celebrated its centenary at the clubhouse in Charles street. To-day the Prince will visit Lincoln, and will open the new Usher Art Gallery.

Princess Mary and Princess Helena Victoria were present yesterday afternoon at the Royal School of Needlework, South Kensington, and presided over two of the stalls at the annual sale. To-day Princess Helena Victoria and Princess Marie Louise will attend and will assist at the stalls.

The Duke of Connaught presided last night at the Empire Day dinner given by the Royal Colonial Institute in the Hotel Victoria, London.

Princess Beatrice will preside at the annual general meeting of the Veterans' Association at Claridge's Hotel next Friday, when Sir Harold and Lady Bowden will act as host and hostess. The Princess will give a dinner party at Kensington Palace next Monday evening, and on the following afternoon will attend the special matinée of "The Self Starter," which is being repeated at the Savoy Theatre, in aid of the Victoria Docks Mission.

The Marquis of Bute and Lord Patrick and Lord Rhidian Crichton-Stuart will return from Spain this week and will join the Marchioness of Bute in London. The Marquis and Marchioness of Ormonde have arrived in London from Gennings, Maidstone. The Marchioness of Londonderry has left Mount Stewart and joined the Marquis yesterday at Londonderry House, Park lane.

Numerous festivities are taking place in Toronto, where the Governor-General and Lady Willingdon are staying at present. Yesterday Their Excellencies attended the races at Woodbine, and in the evening Lord Willingdon was the guest of the Ontario Jockey Club at a dinner party given at the York Club. An entertainment in Lady Willingdon's honour was given at Government House.

Great activity is reported at Cowes during the past few days, and a noticeable feature is the yachts that have been converted into oil-burners. Colonel the Right Hon. Walter Guinness has had a cross-Channel steamer converted into a comfortable oil-burning yacht, which will be known as "Arpha," and promises a mean speed of 15½ knots. The Duke of Sutherland, the Earl of Normanton, Sir Victor and Lady Warrender, Major-General Lord Ruthven, Sir H. Seymour King, Sir William Portal, Sir J. Humphery and Mr. E. D. Guinness were among the owners afloat this week.

Lieutenant-Colonel Mervyn O'Gorman, C.B., D.Sc., who has been elected a member of the Executive Committee of the Air League of the British Empire, is a distinguished Irish officer. He is the son of the late Mr. Edmond O'Gorman, and was educated at Downside College and University College, Dublin. He was appointed Superintendent of the Royal Aircraft Factory in 1909, and in 1916 was made consulting engineer to the Director-General of Military Aeronautics at the Air Ministry.

Dr. C. M. O'Brien has left town for some time.

Mrs. Alex Stewart is now living with Miss Elsner, Taunus, Stillorgan, Dublin.

The music supplied each afternoon by the Ladies' Orchestra in Switzers Restaurant, Grafton street, is under the personal direction of Miss Terry O'Connor.

Lovely New Coats, finely tailored; also Elegant Silken Coats, featuring the newest lines and copies of the French.—W. Holmes, Dublin, Ltd., 69, 70, 71 Sth. Gt. George's st.

Earrings. See special show at Chancellor's, 7 Grafton street.

New Goods arriving daily. Latest Novelties for Holiday and Sports Wear at Robert's, Grafton street.

Lovely Summer Frocks just arrived at Slyne's. Prices range from 45s.—Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton street.

PASSENGERS ON ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.
Arrivals—Mrs. A. G. Manning, Joseph B. Melia, Canon Lowry Hamilton, Captain and Mrs. L. Persse, Stuart Lane, T. W. Lane.
Departures—Mrs. Nana Walsh, Miss de Burgh, Miss F. Lough, Miss M. Davis, the Rev. R. W. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. J. Levy, Miss Cora Cartwright, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Binns, T. M. Wright, Miss M. O'Rourke, Captain Minchin, Miss J. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Byers, Mr. and Mrs. E. Cooper, Mrs. and Miss K. Fitzgerald.
PASSENGERS BY THE B. AND I. LINE, VIA LIVERPOOL.
Arrivals—G. A. Rowe, T. Whittaker, A. S. Horton, J. McKettrick, T. Barnes, T. Hepperd, O. Toole, L. Harte, T. Kidd, E. C. Harte, W. S. Smith, E. W. Flanagan, H. J. Walker, H. Taylor, F. Bradley, E. J. Dunne, J. Cowley, H. Gaynor, T. McNulty, H. Osborne.
Departures—Lady Chance, J. Williamson, G. H. Parker, R. Mitchell, T. Goodman, L. K. Connolly, H. Holt, Bishop Fogarty, P. Austin, J. Dooley, R. C. Curtis, F. McDonnell, J. Williamson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Fitzpatrick, R. J. Roche.

Fresh deliveries of New Summer Silks this week at McBirney's.

Special display of Millinery this day (Wednesday). Models copied from 35s. 6d. Matrons' Hats a speciality. See windows.—Davis and Co., 45 and 46 Grafton street.

Costumes, Coats, etc., for smart Summer wear. New Models and Materials. Moderate prices.—Mumford, Suffolk street, Dublin.

Lady visitors to Dublin are invited to inspect one of the largest and most up-to-date Hairdressing Establishments. Monsieur Armand has returned from Paris, and is also in attendance.—Alfonso Palcic, 58 Grafton street. 'Phone 728.

Furniture Stored in the only Fire-proof Depository in Ireland.—Millar and Beatty, Ltd.

Mrs. Bithrey, Chiropodist, 5 Stephen's Green. Consultations free.

TO LADIES.—Elastic Stockings, Belts and Medical appliances. Artificial Silk Elastic Stockings, flesh, without seam, unnoticed with modern hosiery. Special department for ladies on 1st floor. Lady Attendant.—Fannin and Co., 41 Grafton street.

Special Show of Summer Frocks This Day (Wednesday). Out-sizes Stocked. See Windows.—Davis and Co., 45 and 46 Grafton street.

WEATHER FORECAST.

*General Inference.—The anti-cyclone spreading northwards over the

BREAK WITH RUSSIA.

THE TRADE AGREEMENT TO BE TERMINATED.

BRITISH MISSION TO BE RECALLED.

MR. BALDWIN'S ACCOUNT OF ARCOS ACTIVITIES.

UNLESS the House of Commons on Thursday expresses disapproval, His Majesty's Government will terminate the Trade Agreement with Russia, will require the withdrawal of the Delegation and the Soviet Mission, and will recall the British Mission from Moscow.

With this announcement Mr. Baldwin yesterday concluded his statement in the House of Commons on the raid upon the Arcos premises.

The evidence now in the hands of the authorities, said Mr. Baldwin, proves that:—

(1) Both military *espionage* and subversive activities throughout the British Empire and North and South America were directed and carried out from Soviet House.

(2) No effective differentiation of rooms or duties was observed as between the members of the Trade Delegation and the employes of Arcos, and both these organisations have been involved in anti-British *espionage* and propaganda.

Among the documents seized were letters which showed that the Arcos offices had been used habitually as a clearing-house for subversive correspondence.

One of the letters spoke of the training of Communist agitators on Arcos ships, with a view to dissemination of subversive propaganda among British crews. In the choice of such men preference was to be given to "negroes, Hindoos, and other oppressed nationalities."

WHAT THE RAID REVEALED.

PREMIER'S STATEMENT.

Mr. Clynes asked the Prime Minister whether he could now make a full statement in regard to the police visit to Arcos and the Russian Trade Delegation, and the results of the search.

Mr. Baldwin—For many months the police, in collaboration with the military authorities, have been investigating the activities of a group of secret agents engaged in endeavouring to obtain highly confidential documents relating to the armed forces of Great Britain.

From information received and evidence obtained in the course of these investigations it became increasingly difficult to resist the conclusion that the agents were working on behalf of the Soviet Government, and that they obtained their instructions from members of the Russian Trade Delegation working at Soviet House, who arranged for the conveyance to Moscow of photographs, or copies, of the documents obtained. These suspicions were confirmed when, early this year, a British subject employed in the Air Force was convicted of stealing two such documents as have been described. The documents were recovered, and the individual is now undergoing imprisonment. The secret organisation on behalf of which he had obtained the documents is known, and its connection with a similar Russian organisation has been established.

PHOTOSTAT REPRODUCTIONS.

A further document of an official and highly confidential character—so marked—was recently found to be missing, and, from information secured, and supported by documentary evidence, it became clear that this document had been conveyed to 49 Moorgate, and there reproduced by means of a photostatic apparatus, the character and location of which were described. Upon this information application was made to the magistrate for a warrant for the search of the premises, which was granted and executed on the 12th instant.

Armed with knowledge of the above facts, certain police officers, specially detailed, went, immediately after effecting their entry, straight to the photostat room, and to the room occupied by the cipher clerk, Anton Miller, who was known to be one of the persons intimately concerned in the activities of the secret agents. The subterranean photostat room answered exactly to the description previously given to the police.

KOLING'S ACTIVITIES.

The man in charge of this room—Robert Koling, or Kaulin—who was found at work, is described in a document discovered among the secret staff records in another room. This document, which is in Russian, dated 23rd December, 1926, and signed by Jilinsky, who until his return to Russia the other day combined the duties of head of the Staff Allotment Department of the Russian Trade Delegation with those of principal *espionage* and secret propaganda agent for Europe, is addressed to the manager of the Secret Section, and consists of a recommendation of Koling, together with a history of his past activities.

It states that Koling was previously engaged in carrying on illegal Communist agitation as a member of the Red Trade Union of Sailors, and indicates that in this capacity he was concerned in the conveyance of secret communications abroad, and now discharges, among other duties, that of carrier of the diplomatic post between Chesham House and Soviet House. It finally states that he was recommended by three persons, known to us to be in control of the secret *Espionage* groups previously referred to. This man's qualification for continued employment under the Russian Trade Delegation thus consisted in the fact that he had been engaged in illegal activities.

TELL-TALE LETTERS.

In the possession of Koling were found a number of closed envelopes, addressed with the names of well-known Communist individuals and organisations in this country and America. These envelopes contained information and directions from the Red International of Labour Unions to the Communist organisations in this country and America, including the National Minority Movement, all of the most recent date, and a comparison of these letters with the list of addresses, to which I shall refer later, shows that the office of Arcos and the Trade Delegation has been habitually used as a clearing house for subversive correspondence of this nature. Among the subjects dealt with in this correspondence are:—Communist Seamen's Club, the "Hands Off China" campaign, Anti-Trade Union Bill agitation, the distribution of Communist propaganda, and industrial affairs in America.

In Koling's possession also were found a number of printed application forms for membership of the National Minority Movement, which had been filled up by seamen who had been canvassed for that purpose in Russian ports, and whose applications, together with their membership subscriptions, were in process of transmission through this Russian official channel to the National Minority Movement.

TO CORRUPT THE SEAMEN.

Further interesting light is thrown upon this particular phase of Soviet activity by a letter dated 3rd November, 1926, addressed to Jilinsky, and describing arrangements made for the training of Communist agitators on Arcos ships, with a view to the subsequent dissemination by them of subversive propaganda among the crews of British ships. The letter is a long one, and I will give only the following extract:—

"I consider the only solution to lie in making these ships of ours a base for training politically conscious seamen, who, after preliminary training, could be sent to other British ships. Instruction could be given by such seamen as cannot obtain employment for Communistic agitation on any British ship. The choice of men should be carefully made, preference being given to negroes, Hindoos and other oppressed nationalities, but it would, of course, be necessary to investigate to what extent such material would prove appropriate for future work. As soon as a seaman is taken on he should be trained, and then made to go and work amongst British sailors. This has been the practice I have so far followed, and my preliminary results were apparent during the seamen's strike, when those who had passed through our school occupied the most prominent positions."

MILLER'S LOCKED ROOM.

The room occupied by Anton Miller was adjoining that of Mr. Kinchuk, the chief of the Trade Delegation. It had no handle on the outside of the door, ingress being obtained solely by means of a key. On arrival the police found that the door was locked, and there was a light in the room. Demand was made for admission, whereupon the door was unlocked. Anton Miller himself, with one other man and a woman, was found in occupation.

Miller was engaged in hurriedly burning papers, some of which appeared to have been taken from an open despatch box on the table in front of him. On the police attempting to take possession of the despatch box a struggle ensued. Miller resisted, and in the course of the struggle a paper fell from his pocket. This document was found to consist of a list of secret cover addresses, or, according to the document, "illegal" addresses, for communication with the Communist parties in the United States of America, Mexico, South America, Canada, Australia, New Zealand and South Africa.

Other documents were found on the premises, but it is unnecessary to describe them, as the documents already referred to sufficiently prove the existence under direct control of the Soviet authorities of a regular system whereby documents of a subversive character from various organisations in Russia were conveyed secretly to various persons engaged in Communist activity in this country and elsewhere.

SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES.

In conclusion, it may be pointed out that the evidence now in the hands of the authorities proves that:—

1—Both military *espionage* and subversive activities throughout the British Empire and North and South America were directed and carried out from 49 Moorgate.

2—No effective differentiation of rooms or duties was observed as between the members of the Trade Delegation and the employés of Arcos, and both these organisations have been involved in anti-British *espionage* and propaganda.

The Soviet Government cannot escape responsibility for the actions of the Trade Delegation and the abuse of the facilities afforded to it. But the matter does not rest there It would, in any case, be difficult to believe that, whilst one organ of the Soviet Government—namely, the Trade Delegation—was thus breaking the solemn undertakings on the faith of which it was received, the other organ of that Government in this country—namely, the Soviet Mission and the Government itself—were not parties to these proceedings.

But the case against them does not depend upon inference. The trade agreement provided *inter alia*:—

"That each party refrains from hostile action or undertakings against the other, and

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WRITS RECEIVED.

LIST OF NOMINATION CENTRES.

Last day for nominations ..... June 1st
Polling day ..... June 9th
New Dail meets ..... June 23rd

By Our Political Correspondent.

Writs for the general election in the Free State have now been received by the returning officers in the constituencies, and nominations may be handed in forthwith. In accordance with the terms of the Electoral Act, a candidate may hand his nomination papers to the returning officer at any time and place between now and 3 p.m. on June 1st, and on that date two consecutive hours are fixed during which the returning officer will attend at the nomination centre to receive nominations.

While nominations may be handed in at any time up to that date, it happens in practice that most of the candidates are not nominated until the last day.

Dr. Lorcan Sherlock, Returning Officer for the Dublin City constituencies, has fixed the time for receiving nominations at 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., when he will attend at the Grand Jury Room, Green street, to receive them.

The following is a list of the constituencies and the nomination centres:—

Constituency.	No. of Seats.	Nomination Centre.
Dublin County	8	Dublin.
Dublin City (North)	8	"
Dublin City (South)	7	"
Cork City	5	Cork City.
Cork County (East)	5	"
Cork County (North)	3	"
Cork County (West)	5	"
Carlow-Kilkenny	5	Kilkenny.
Cavan	4	Cavan.
Clare	5	Ennis
Donegal	8	Lifford.
Galway	9	Galway.
Kerry	7	Tralee.
Kildare	3	Naas.
Leitrim-Sligo	7	Sligo.
Leix-Offaly	5	Maryborough.
Limerick	7	Limerick.
Longford-Westmeath	5	Mullingar.
Louth	3	Dundalk.
North Mayo	4	Ballyhaunis.
South Mayo	5	"
Meath	3	Kells.
Monaghan	3	Monaghan.
Roscommon	4	Roscommon.
Tipperary	7	Clonmel.
Waterford	4	Waterford.
Wexford	5	Wexford.
Wicklow	3	Wicklow.
Dublin University	3	Trinity College, Dublin.
National University	3	University College, Dublin.
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A FORECAST.

In every constituency the greatest fear of Cumann na nGaedheal organisers is an apathetic electorate, and more and more Government speakers are dwelling upon the deplorable results that can flow from an indifferent exercise of the franchise.

Granted a substantial poll, Ministerial supporters say that there is no doubt as to the outcome of the election. Assuming even a 60 per cent. poll, this is a forecast for which I take responsibility:—

Cumann na nGaedheal	50
Labour	23
Independents	16
Farmers	13
National League	9
Clann Eireann	5
Sinn Fein	7
Fianna Fail	30

On these figures there would be a majority of 16 for the constitutional opposition, or in the event of the two wings of the Republican Party accepting the oath, a majority of 53.

Even in the continued abstention of the Republicans, however, some sort of coalition would seem to be indicated. Given an exhaustive poll, on the other hand, and assuming the abstention of the Republicans, there would be every prospect of a clear Government majority over all parties in the Dail.

BANKRUPTCY COMMISSION.

FIRST MEETING TO-MORROW IN DUBLIN.

The first meeting of the Bankruptcy Commission will be held at Commercial Buildings, Dublin, at 2.45 p.m. to-morrow, for the purpose of hearing evidence to be given by the Dublin Chamber of Commerce.

The opening sittings of the Commission will deal with matters relating to bankruptcy and arrangements. Questions dealing with the winding-up of companies and other matters will be dealt with later.

The Commission, which was set up in March last, consists of the following:—

Robert Doyle, K.C. (Chairman)
William T. Sheridan.
William V. Seddall.
Basil Thompson.
J. C. M. Eason.
Richard A. Butler.
Frank A. Lowe.
Gerald Brock.
Sir Walter Boyd.
T. W. Ellerker.

NEW FLOOD DANGER.

100,000 PERSONS IN FLIGHT.

ANOTHER BREAK.

ALL THE "SUGAR BOWL" UNDER WATER.

From Reuter's Correspondent.

BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA, Tuesday.

The worst has happened. With the breaking of the levee at Meorea, the remaining half of Louisiana's "Sugar Bowl" is either already inundated or soon will be.

Fortunately for New Orleans, the flooded area is on the opposite side of the Mississippi River from it, but it includes a million and a half acres, with several populous towns.

The authorities have given a warning to the inhabitants, estimated to number 100,000, to move out immediately, and are taking steps to rescue any people that may be caught in the rising waters.

This disaster will swell the previous losses by several million dollars, besides inconveniencing thousands of farmers and plantation owners.

WORKED TO THE LAST.

From "The Times" Correspondent.

NEW YORK, Tuesday.

Two million acres of land, which another forty-eight hours' grace might have saved, will now be lost, and 100,000 industrious and thrifty people will be made homeless, dependent for their bare existence upon charity.

At McCrea, in Pointe Coupee, where the levee gave way, there is a big bend in the river. For days the rapid stream has been scooping out the base of the embankment in the curve there, and 3,000 men have been labouring, with every resource known to river engineers, to stay its ravages. They dumped thousands of sandbags and scores of cartloads of stone into the river where a breach was threatened, and behind the levee another levee was raised as fast as desperate men could build it.

Yesterday, when they were on the point of triumph, it began to rain again. The torrents that came down turned the solid earth into runnelled heaps of slimy mud. Big slices of the levee front slid off into the swirling river.

The battle was lost then, but the defenders carried on, for there was still a bare chance, it seemed, of the embankments holding until, in a day or two, the flood crest might have passed.

Even when the actual break occurred, they kept on dumping in sandbags until the ground crumbled away almost under their feet.

OXFORD ADMITS WOMEN PROFESSORS.

ANOTHER DOOR OPENED.

Oxford University in Convocation yesterday promulgated a Statute admitting women to all the professorships, readerships and University teachership.

By this decision yet another stronghold has fallen to women at Oxford. Since the women's movement began at Oxford in the sixties of the last century, they have secured more and more of the privileges which once belonged only to men.

The latest development is only the logical outcome of what has gone before, and, as the Principal of Hertford College pointed out when he introduced this Statute, it would only have the effect of putting on an official footing a principle which had long been acknowledged.

The first women's colleges were built in 1879, and women were first admitted to the University on the same terms as men, so far as membership and the taking of degrees were concerned, in 1920.

The Queen was the first woman to receive a degree, and afterwards all the women who qualified were allowed to receive degrees.

For several years women have occupied the headships of women's colleges and have been on the same footing as men as regards pensions and discipline.

POINTS IN THE ELECTION SPEECHES.

MR. KEVIN O'HIGGINS

I do not see any grounds for anxiety, any grounds for pessimism in regard to the future of this country, provided that the people realise that a dissipation of the strength that is behind the Treaty into small parties and groups and sectional interests is the road to danger.

If unity with the North comes, it will come by agreement, but anglophobia will not offer a basis for such unity.

In the last three or four years we have seen the obliteration of old political landmarks, and a tendency on the part of those who had stood apart in the past to face the new situation and take their part in the mosaic of the national life.—*In Dublin.*

MR. J. J. WALSH.

The dominant question at this stage in the nation's affairs is heavy concentration on production in field and factory. In no other way can unemployment be decreased, emigration terminated, or homes made happy. The firm that can add three hundred employés to its payroll is of more solid value to the working man, the shopkeeper, the wholesaler or the carrying company than all the speeches that have been made in this election.—*At Cork.*

MR. NORTON.

The Government's whole record is in the interest of the rich and against the interests of the poor. They had legislated in the interests of the landlords and the people who lived on dividends.—*At Blackrock.*

MR. DE VALERA.

I had complete confidence in my colleagues who went to London to negotiate the Treaty. I never dreamt that they would break their orders, that the final draft should not be signed until it had been brought home and examined at a full Cabinet meeting of Dail Eireann. If I had had the slightest suspicion that such a thing would have happened, I certainly should have gone.—*At Castlerea.*

MR. P. HOGAN, MINISTER FOR AGRICULTURE.

I am not in favour of taking the Oath out of the Treaty, because I do not want to go back to the position of 1921. I stand for every clause in the Treaty, which was the best settlement Michael Collins and Arthur Griffith could make. That Treaty is good enough for me and you.

Partition was accomplished before Griffith and Collins went to London. I do not stand for an invasion of the North. I think that we can bring in the North by one way only, and that is by having lower taxation and better services. The day we have a two shilling income tax and reduce other taxes below the rate in the North, these men of the North will come to business with us, but not till then.—*At Mountbellew.*

MR. JEREMIAH MACVEAGH.

I stand for stable and ordered Government. I will do everything in my power to secure a reduction of income tax or to abolish it altogether. If there was no income tax in the Free State, there would be no boundary.—*At Ballytrain, Co. Monaghan.*

MR. THOMAS JOHNSON.

The Labour Party has been a very small handful in the Dail, but we are hopeful that in the future we shall have a commanding influence.—*At Blackrock.*

MR. S. DILLON.

Cumann na nGaedheal are the most accomplished political tricksters that have appeared in this country, and, on the score of propaganda, have no rivals in any country in the world. The Government ask to be returned on their record. What is that record? In 1918 the country was undivided; partition did not exist; there was prosperity; emigration was at the very lowest ebb. Has the country ever been more miserable than to-day? Have the farmers ever had less stock or money? Have business men ever done business under such difficult conditions?—*At Letterkenny.*

IRISH MEDICAL COUNCIL.

SIR D. MACALISTER ON THE AGREEMENT.

From Our Own Correspondent.

LONDON, Tuesday.

Reference to the work of Sir Edward Coey Bigger on the General Medical Council was made by Sir Donald Macalister, the President, at to-day's meeting of the Council in London.

He said that for ten years Sir Edward had co-operated with them, particularly in matters concerning public health and professional examinations, on which he was recognised as an expert authority. He had just furnished the Executive Committee with a useful and interesting report on his recent visit to universities and medical schools in Australia and Ceylon.

It was an incidental consequence of the establishment of the Irish Free State, in which, after holding high office in the medical service of former Governments, he was now a Senator and Chairman of the Public Health Council, that he left them for other duties.

"He will carry with him into the new spheres of administrative usefulness that are entrusted to his charge our sincere and friendly congratulations," added the President, who stated that an old and experienced colleague, Colonel Thomas Sinclair, M.P., and Senator of Northern Ireland, had taken Sir Edward's place as Crown member for Ireland.

THE AGREEMENT.

Conferences had taken place between the Governments of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the Free State. These had, happily, resulted in an agreement, which had been signed on behalf of the three Governments, had been ratified by the Free State Legislature, and now awaited Parliamentary ratification in Great Britain.

It provided that the Medical Acts hitherto in force in Great Britain and Ireland should continue to apply to the Free State as concerned the functions, constitution, powers, authorities and jurisdiction of the General Medical Council and its branch councils.

It provided that the direct representative for Ireland should continue to be elected by the registered practitioners resident in any part of Ireland, and that the Crown member for Ireland should be appointed by His Majesty in Council on the recommendations of the Governor of Northern Ireland.

It also ensured that practitioners registered in the Medical Register should be entitled to be registered and to practise in the Free State.

FREE STATE COUNCIL.

By an Act of the Oireachtas a Free State Medical Council had been established to maintain a local Medical Register distinct from the General Register, and to exercise in regard to it a jurisdiction distinct from that of the General Council; but the jurisdiction of the General Council in Southern Ireland would not be displaced or diminished for any purpose of admission to, or removal from, the General Register, or of maintaining the standard of professional education and examination in reference to registrable qualifications granted in Ireland.

A SATISFACTORY SETTLEMENT.

"The provisions of the agreement appear to me, after careful and, indeed, anxious consideration, to afford a satisfactory solution of the professional problems created by the establishment of the new Governments in Ireland," said Sir Donald. "It is equitable as between autonomous Governments. It is practicable from an administrative point of view. Above all, it necessitates no change in the relations that have so long subsisted between the General Council, its Irish branch Council, and the licensing bodies and medical practitioners of Ireland."

GOING BACK TO U.S.A. BY DESTROYER.

CAPTAIN LINDBERGH TO VISIT LONDON.

A United States destroyer has been placed at the disposal of Captain Lindbergh for his return journey to America. He has accepted the Royal Aero Club's invitation to visit London, and will arrive at Croydon next Monday.

Having paid a visit to Mme. Nungesser, Captain Lindbergh yesterday sent a telegram of sympathy to Captain Coli's mother, who lives at Marseilles.

Mme. Coli sent a card to Mme Lindbergh, which was pathetically inscribed: "To the happiest of mothers, a poor little mother's congratulations."

ANOTHER ATLANTIC FLIER.

ITALIAN COMES DOWN OFF THE AZORES.

From Reuter's Correspondent.

BUENOS AYRES, Tuesday.

According to wireless advices from Lisbon to *La Nacion*, the Marquis de Pinedo, who is flying from Newfoundland across the Atlantic, came down 150 miles from the Azores owing to fog. The machine is being towed to Horta (Azores).

The Italian airman is uninjured.

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE.

ADMINISTRATION IN IRISH FREE STATE.

In the House of Commons yesterday, Mr. Kelly asked the Secretary of State for Dominion Affairs whether responsibility for the wages and conditions of the men engaged in the lighthouses and lightships off the coast of Ireland has yet been assumed by the Irish Free State?

Sir Philip Cunliffe-Lyster—I have been asked to reply. As I informed the hon. member on the 3rd of May, the present system of administration of the lighthouse service in the Irish Free State is, by consent of His Majesty's Government in Great Britain and in the Irish Free State, still continued in being. Any proposals relating to wages and conditions of the men engaged in the lighthouse service in the Free State area, which are put forward by the Commissioners of Irish Lights and involve expenditure from the General Lighthouse Fund, are considered by both Governments in consultation.

EXPORT OF PEDIGREE STOCK.

Representatives of breed societies and of the Ministry of Agriculture and the Scottish Board of Agriculture will meet in Edinburgh to-day to consider the question of establishing a quarantine station in Scotland to facilitate the export of pedigree stock to the Dominions and the Colonies. The Empire Marketing Board, it is stated, would provide funds for such a project. The erection of a similar station for England is also under consideration.

FIREMEN HELP IN POLICE HUNT.

TOWN'S EXITS CLOSED

THREE SUSPECTS IN A MOTOR CAR.

Three men suspected of having committed a number of burglaries at Manchester and Liverpool were arrested in remarkable circumstances at Southport yesterday afternoon.

The speed at which the burglaries had been committed suggested that a motor car had been employed, and a car answering to the description circulated by the police was seen in Southport. As soon as this was known the police took steps to prevent the car from leaving the town.

The borough fire engine, ambulance, and other motor vehicles were employed to block all the exits from the borough, and a large body of police, headed by the Chief Constable, conducted a search for the vehicle.

The suspected car was seen near Woodvale, the borough terminus; and the fire engine was drawn across the road. The three men in the car, evidently suspecting a trap, immediately pulled up, put the car in reverse, and attempted to return, but, seeing they were completely surrounded, two of the men alighted and ran into a field.

The man at the wheel was arrested before he could leave the car, and the others were overtaken and arrested.

The three men were taken in different taxis to the police station, and to-day will be charged with housebreaking.

LATE NEWS.

SOVIET HOUSE.

A GRAVE DECISION.

The Times, in a leading article upon Mr. Baldwin's statement on the Arcos raid, observes:—The Prime Minister announced a grave decision when he declared that the Government found itself compelled, in these circumstances, to terminate the trade agreement, to withdraw the British Mission from Russia, and to demand the recall of the Soviet Mission from London. But could any British Government do less in view of the facts which have now come to light, though they are, indeed, only the final confirmation of a long and bitter experience? For six years the Soviet Government have openly flouted the political clauses of the trade agreement which they concluded in 1921. They have been warned again and again of the possible consequences by Lord Curzon in 1923, by Mr. Macdonald in 1924, and very seriously by Sir Austen Chamberlain last February. They have promised to mend their ways.

In 1923 they accepted a stricter obligation in the matter of propaganda hostile to Great Britain. Their friends have repeatedly urged that continued tolerance on the part of Great Britain would enable some hypothetical moderate group within the Soviet Government to gain ground. That moderate group has never appeared, or, at any rate, has never made itself effective in all these years. Every section of the Russian Communist Party persists in agitating for the world revolution, with the British Empire as its first objective.

Russia, of course, has been, and will be, a very great country, and the effect of the Government's decision will not be a break with Russia as distinct from its present Soviet Government. There is no reason on the British side why such trade as has recently been carried on between the two countries should not go on, as it has long been carried on with the United States, in the absence of any formal agreement. Arcos may continue as a private trading company, shorn, of course, of any exceptional privileges, and deprived of the assistance of those of its members who are now definitely incriminated. What can no longer be tolerated is the existence on British soil, under the protection of diplomatic privilege, of a centre of violently subversive foreign propaganda of the kind so long suspected, and now finally exposed by the Arcos raid.

DEATH OF LORD BROUGHAM AND VAUX.

The Times states:—Lord Brougham and Vaux died suddenly yesterday morning at his house in Chesham place, London, aged ninety. The eldest son of the second Baron, he was appointed a clerk in the House of Lords in 1857, and served there for nearly thirty years until on the death of his father, in 1886, he became a member of the House itself. He was a D.L. and J.P. for Cumberland and Westmorland.

THE WHITE BIRD?

REPORTED FIND BY FRENCH TRAWLER.

From Reuter's Correspondent.

BOULOGNE, Tuesday.

The French trawler Antoinette, which has returned from a long cruise in the Atlantic, reports having received the following wireless message from the Boulogne trawler St. Hubert, which is at present on the fishing grounds:—

"At ten miles off Start Point yesterday, about 12.30 p.m., we saw a merchant ship, equipped with wireless, towing a white seaplane whose rudder bore the French colours."

It is not stated on what date the wireless message was received.

[Start Point is 9½ miles S.S.W. of Dartmouth, in South Devon.]

Later.

It is confirmed that the trawler Antoinette received a wireless message from the St. Hubert at 11.30 a.m., the St. Hubert being then to the South of Cornwall, and not expected back for ten days.

Nevertheless, at the Cherbourg Maritime Prefecture, it is stated that the message was received from the St. Hubert at 4.55 p.m. yesterday. All attempts to communicate with the St. Hubert by wireless have met with no response.

IRISH PRELATES IN ROME.

RECEIVED BY THE POPE.

ROME, Tuesday.

The Pope to-day received Monsignor Gilmartin, Archbishop of Tuam, and Monsignor Naughton, Bishop of Killala. His Holiness had a most affable conversation with both prelates, discussing the Irish religious situation and various topics of general interest.

NO REPUBLICAN PACT.

"ARMY COUNCIL'S" PROPOSALS

REJECTED BY FIANNA FAIL.

A DOCUMENT which has come into the hands of the Civic Guards makes it clear that there is no truth in the rumour that there may be an election pact between the two wings of the Irish Republican Party.

The Republican "Army Council" put forward proposals in the hope of securing an agreement. These, with certain reservations, were accepted by the Standing Committee of Sinn Fein as a basis for a conference, but Fianna Fail, Mr. de Valera's organisation, declared that they "were not acceptable as a basis of discussion."

The text of the document was issued for publication last night by the Free State Department of Justice. It is headed "Oglaigh na hEireann," and is addressed from "General Headquarters, Dublin," under date May 20th, 1927, to "The Commander of each Independent Unit." It is described as a "statement on the efforts made by the Army Council to secure co-ordination between Republican bodies for the general election in the Free State," and is as follows:—

THE SPLIT.

EFFECT ON THE "ARMY."

1. The Army Council directs that the following statement be issued and that the same be transmitted to Volunteers of all ranks:—For some time the Army Council had under consideration the situation existing in the Republican movement, which was created by the division which arose in the Sinn Fein Organisation over a year ago, and which led to the defection of a considerable membership of that Organisation and the creation of a rival organisation known as Fianna Fail. The Council realised that as the date of the General Election in the Free State drew near the differences between the two organisations would be accentuated, and that it would be inevitable that these differences would involve Volunteers, that *moral*, discipline, and comradeship of the Army would in the result be affected detrimentally. The Council was of opinion that if disunity did not exist, or if unity could be restored to the extent of getting the two political organisations and the Army to agree to such an arrangement as would enable them to work together at the elections, and to agree in advance as to the policy which would be pursued in the event of a majority of Republican Deputies being returned, there were indications that the present Imperial Colonial authorities could be defeated.

2. It would only be to secure the return of a majority of Republican Deputies that the Army Council would consider it worth striving to get the necessary agreement. In its opinion the return of a minority only would not advance the Republic, but that, on the contrary, the existence of such a minority would be a factor of danger.

In view of the advantages that would accrue from the election of a majority of Republican deputies, it was felt that every effort should be made to achieve this result. The Council accordingly decided that the Chief of Staff should summon a meeting of the full General Headquarters Staff and of the commanders of independent units and ascertain their opinions. This meeting of officers was held on the 9th of April.

3. The Army Council placed before this meeting for its consideration proposals which it believed would constitute a basis for agreement between Sinn Fein, Fianna Fail and Oglaigh na hEireann, and which would be acceptable to all Republicans.

These proposals were considered in detail by the officers, and the proposals which were to be submitted to the other organisations were agreed to. The following are the proposals:—

SECTION 1.

1. That all bodies stand for the restoration of the Republican Government as the *de facto* Government of the Republic of Ireland.

2. That as a means to achieve this end at the forthcoming elections, and to prevent clashing and overlapping, a panel of candidates shall be agreed to by the bodies.

SECTION 2.

1. That for the purpose of this agreement a National Board shall be constituted consisting of—(here would be inserted names of *personnel* to be agreed on.)

(a) All panel candidates must be approved by the National Board before being adopted.

(b) The Board shall remain in constant session during the election.

(c) The Board shall deal with cases of friction arising out of this agreement and shall give decisions on any matters requiring them.

(d) The Board shall see that the Pact is faithfully observed.

(e) The Board shall ensure co-ordination of all necessary activities.

(f) The Board shall before the election select the *personnel* of the Executive or Cabinet.

(g) The Board shall in all cases of doubt in the interpretation of this agreement be final interpreters, and in all cases its decisions shall be binding on the members of the Board and on the parties to the agreement.

SECTION 3.

1. A joint appeal or manifesto shall be issued by the parties to this agreement appealing to all voters to support the panel candidates. This appeal or manifesto shall either be issued by the National Board or shall have its approval.

2. Each party shall be free to issue one election address each for all panel candidates who are nominees of its party. TheseTe election addresses shall be submitted for approval of the National Board. The following must be explicitly stated in each such address and in the public pronouncements of the candidates:—

(a) The repudiation of the Treaty.
(b) The repudiation of Partition.
(c) The repudiation of all financial and other arrangements or obligations entered into with the Government of Great Britain.
(d) The abolition of a standing Army and the organisation of the defence forces on a territorial basis.

3. Each panel candidate shall sign a pledge and an undertaking pledging undivided allegiance to the Republic of Ireland, proclaimed on Easter Monday, 1916, and by law established on the 21st day of January, 1919, and undertaking that he or she will not take an oath or make a declaration of allegiance to the British King, or his representatives or to the Constitution of the Irish Free State, or to any other imposed Constitution.

SECTION 4.

1. The successful panel candidates shall meet immediately after the election.

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They will elect the Executive or Cabinet previously selected by the National Board.

They will then adopt the Ministerial policy for urgent economic matters.

The Executive or Cabinet will then proceed to the necessary administrative steps to give effect to this policy.

SECTION 5.

1. The military situation shall be dealt with in accordance with the following line of policy:—

(a) The removal from Dublin and vicinity of all enemy military forces, and, this being done, that they be disarmed and demobilised.

(b) All armament to be placed under the control of Oglaigh na hEireann.

(c) The maintenance of Oglaigh na hEireann, and the placing of the organisation on a Territorial basis.

(d) That the Army Council of Oglaigh na hEireann shall be the Advisory Council to the Minister of Defence.

SECTION 6.

1. The Second Dail Eireann and the present Republican Government shall retain their present position until a Government functions as the *de facto* Government of the Republic of Ireland.

SECTION 7.

1. The signatories to this agreement shall solemnly bind themselves, both by oath and in writing, to carry out in every way and to do their utmost to secure the carrying out by their followers and colleagues of every clause of this agreement and every decision of the National Board, and, if they in any way fail to do this, to resign and retire from public life.

SINN FEIN'S REPLY.

The proposals were submitted by the Army Council to the Standing Committee of Sinn Fein Organisation and to the National Executive of the Fianna Fail Organisation. The following are the official replies received from these organisations:—

"From Sinn Fein.—The Standing Committee is prepared to accept your invitation to send two delegates to meet two delegates from your body and two delegates from Fianna Fail in conference, on the understanding that our delegates' powers are limited to the extent of the guarantees of which a copy is enclosed.

"Unless this basis is accepted, the Standing Committee cannot see its way to send delegates."

The following are the guarantees set forth by Sinn Fein:—

1. That members of Fianna Fail should give a guarantee that they will not enter any foreign controlled Parliament as a minority or majority, with or without a note or other formal declaration.

2. That in the event of getting a Republican majority the representatives of all Ireland will be summoned immediately and the Free State Constitution, and all Imperial commitments will be repudiated.

3. That the Government of the Republic is recognised as the only lawful Government of the country.

TURNED DOWN.

From Fianna Fail—"The memo on suggested basis for co-operation between the Republican parties for the general election was placed before the National Executive at its meeting on yesterday. It was unanimously decided that the proposals were not acceptable as a basis for discussion."

In acknowledging this communication to Fianna Fail, the Army Council asked, "As you do not indicate what the objections were to any particular proposal, is the Council to take it that the entire proposals were unacceptable?" To this communication Fianna Fail replied, "We have to inform you that the proposals were not discussed in detail."

"In view of the reception accorded to our proposals by the two political parties the Army Council decided that nothing further could usefully be done in the way of endeavouring to achieve co-ordination, and so cease their efforts in this direction."

The Army Council reiterates the view that the election of a majority only of Republican Deputies who would repudiate the so-called Treaty, and all Imperial commitments entered into as a sequel to it, is really worth securing; that while the present division exists in the Republican movement there is little hope of such a majority being returned. The energies of Volunteers if elected as Deputies are, therefore, in danger of being frittered away in futile political agitation, calculated to divert their minds and activities from the means set forth by Oglaigh na hEireann to achieve our objects. Having done its utmost to secure co-ordination between the different Republican bodies, and having failed, the Army Council feels it its duty to impress on Volunteers that the chief object of Oglaigh na hEireann—i.e., to establish and uphold a lawful Government in sole and absolute control of the Republic, can more surely be achieved by the means set forth in the Constitution, namely—

1—Force of arms.

2—Organising, training, and equipping the manhood of Ireland as an effective military force.

On these means it directs that Volunteers must mainly concentrate. Genuine National activities directed to the creation of a revolutionary situation favourable for military action, should be supported actively by Volunteers. With many citizens the contesting of elections is regarded as an end in itself. With us doing so, can only be a means to an end. After the overwhelming Republican victory at the polls in December, 1918, a war had to be fought. That electoral victory undoubtedly put us in a strong position to wage war, so also would such a victory help us again. It is the impossibility, at present, without co-ordination of gaining it, that influences the Army Council to urge concentration on other methods.

In conclusion, the Council demands that each Volunteer will give undivided allegiance and unquestioning obedience to the Army authority and to officers. When Army orders may be held by any party to be in conflict with its policy or programme, and with which a Volunteer may be affiliated, he must obey such orders. A Volunteer who gives conditional allegiance is of no use to Oglaigh na hEireann; he may prove to be a positive danger in times of difficulty or crisis.

You are hereby ordered to have the above statement of the Army Council transmitted to all ranks in your unit without delay. You will order the holding of council meetings and parades, at which it will be read, at once. Have sufficient copies made and circulated.

Acknowledge receipt to me by return.

Adjutant-General.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE GAELIC SOCIETY.

PRE-NORMAN TIMES IN IRELAND.

At the annual meeting of the Gaelic Literary Society of University College, Dublin, yesterday, there was a considerable gathering of clergy, clerical students, college students, nuns, and other visitors, to listen to a paper in Irish by Mr. Louis Roche, B.A. Dr. Douglas Hyde, President of the Society, occupied the chair.

Mr. Roche's lecture dealt with the pre-Norman condition of Ireland, when Irish scholarship was famous all over Europe, and when students came from many foreign lands to take advantage of that scholarship. It was, so to speak, an unique system, under which Latin and the Gaelic languages were cultivated to a high degree. Irish culture was held in high esteem until the Normans, and later on the English, took measures to belittle it, and to substitute English for the native tongue in every possible way. Not to know English then became a mark of inferiority, and soon the old Irish people began to lose their own language, and their own traditions and civilisation.

Through six centuries the British pursued that policy, and so it was that the Irish language was banished from the schools. Now a revival was on foot and it was the bounden duty of every true Irish man and woman to take part in the movement for the rehabilitation of the language.

On the motion of Mr. J. Green, seconded by the Rev. P. Dineen, the thanks of the meeting were passed to Mr. Roche.

A silver medal for Irish oratory, presented by Miss Agnes O'Farrelly, M.A., was awarded to Donn S. Piatt, B.A.

CHORAL FESTIVAL.

The Ossory and Leighlin Choral Festival will be held on Tuesday June 7th, at 2.70 p.m. The preacher will be the Rev. H. W. B. Thompson, B.D., Canon of St. Patrick's Cathedral, Dublin.

SAORSTAT CIVIL SERVICE.

Examinations announced for July. Customs and Excise, Junior Executive Officers and Clerical Officers. 101 Successes at exams. for these appointments since March, 1924. BEST RESULT. Oral and Correspondence Classes. SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 76 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin. —(Advt.)

EMPIRE DAY COURT.

THE KING AND QUEEN'S 1,000 GUESTS.

A BRILLIANT SCENE.

The King and Queen held at Buckingham Palace last night their first Court of the season, when the attendance totalled nearly one thousand.

The Court was held in the Great Throne Room. The Throne alcove was unveiled, and during part of the ceremony the King and Queen occupied their respective throne chairs. Banks of hothouse flowers and foliage were effectively arranged in most of the State apartments. Gentlemen-at-Arms, resplendent in crimson and gold, formed the Throne Guard, and stood stiffly to attention facing the throne dais, and with their backs to the general company, while the presentations were being made.

On their flank were the King's four Indian Orderly Officers, in native full dress, with the British Officer in command.

The string band of the Scots Guards occupied the musicians' gallery in the Throne Room.

Last night's Court was mainly diplomatic and official. The diplomatic circle was one of the largest on record, numbering altogether over three hundred.

The Royal circle was small by comparison with some Courts. In addition to the King and Queen, the only members of the Royal Family present were Princess Mary, with Viscount Lascelles, Princess Alice (Countess of Athlone), with her daughter, and Princess Helena Victoria and Princess Marie Louise.

QUEEN WEARS THE KOH-I-NOR.

The Queen wore a very beautiful dress of English cloth of silver, with an overdress of delicate tulle, splendidly embroidered with pearls and silver. The train was designed to match this effective dress. The Queen's head-dress was a diadem of diamonds, and her neck ornaments were diamonds also. These ornaments included the famous Koh-i-Nor. The Blue Riband of the Order of the Garter and various Family Orders were included in the toilette.

The King wore the uniform of Colonel-in-Chief of the Royal Horse Guards.

The Court opened with the entry of Lady Chamberlain, wife of the Foreign Secretary, escorted by His Majesty's Master of Ceremonies. The Master of Ceremonies afterwards presented the Marchioness Merry del Val, wife of the Spanish Ambassador, and *doyenne* of the *Corps Diplomatique*.

In the Royal circle Princess Alice (Countess of Athlone), who is just home from South Africa, was a picturesque figure in a simple marte gown of hand-woven cloth of silver. It relied for its effect upon embroideries of gold roses and leaves. With the Princess was her only daughter, Lady May Cambridge, in a rose colour frock. Rose du Barri chiffon was used for it, and the manteau was of ephemeral rose gauze, studded effectively with diamante and silver.

GOLD GOWNS.

Princess Helena Victoria was among the wearers of gold gowns. Hers was a becoming Reville dress of silk marquisette, embroidered in a Persian design, with lovely coloured threads. The train, also of marquisette, was completely covered with paillette embroidery in bronze, which toned beautifully with the colours in the gown itself.

Lady Anne Cavendish, who was presented by her mother, the Duchess of Devonshire, wore a simple girlish frock of pale pink chiffon, which had a trail of silver flowers down one side, and touches of silver on the pale pink train.

SOME OF THE DRESSES.

Other dresses were:—

The Marchioness of Ormonde—A gown of cream chiffon, embroidered with iridescent sequins and silver, a train of mauve chiffon, trimmed with silver lace.

Lady Hennessy—A gown of ivory satin beauté and georgette, embroidered with diamante crystal and pearl. A train of black velvet, lined with silver lamé, and fastened on the shoulders with ivory and black velvet roses.

Lady de Robeck—A gown of silver lamé, with revers of gold lamé, and trimmed on the hip and shoulders with sapphire and diamanté ornaments.

Lady Bindon Blood—A princess gown of white satin, embroidered in a design of white roses, the scalloped edge of the skirt bordered with silver and crystal fringe. A train of silver guipure lace bordered at each side with a wide band of pale blue Romaine, and held on the right shoulder with a trail of blue chiffon roses.

Mrs. Alfred R. Roche—A gown of multi-colour and silver brocade, veiled with pervenche blue georgette. An embroidered train to match the gown.

Gowns Worn at Their Majesties' Court.

The Countess of Fingall.—Gown of finest black Brussels net, embroidered in floral design with diamanté and fine jet, finished at waist with diamond girdle. Train composed of black and silver shot lamé, embroidered to match gown, and bordered with black Brussels lace. Court plume and lappets, ornaments and diamonds.—Made by Switzer.

Viscountess Powerscourt.—Lovely gown of Wedgwood blue Brussels net, made with three deep pointed flounces of much "bouffancy," over an under-gown of Wedgwood blue and gold moire lamé. Train of same lamé as gown, bordered with gold. Court plume and net lappets. Ornaments, sapphires and diamonds.—Made by Switzer.

Lady Greer.—Gown of Orchadié Satin Beauté, worn under a deep tunic of net same colour, embroidered entirely in crystal and diamanté. Train of Orchadié and silver shot lamé, embroidered in handsome design to match tunic. Court plume and lappets. Ornaments, pearls and diamonds.—Made by Switzer.

REVUE AT LA SCALA THEATRE.

DUBLIN ARTISTS' SUCCESS.

A novel feature at La Scala Theatre this week is the introduction, as a stage supplement to an exciting film, of a revue, "Charleston Revels," in which a number of Dublin artists present a very entertaining performance. There is dancing in wide variety, performed by dancers selected from the principal ballrooms of the city. A group of six girls are very successful in group dancing, and a good comedy is provided by Messrs. Ralph and Chris Sylvester. In addition, these two artists display their ability as exponents of vocal and instrumental music. In a delightful scene with Mr. T. Reddin they entertain the audience with songs at the piano.

Miss May Doyle contributes a couple of songs. The singing lesson last night was delightful, and also the little Hawaian farewell song. Mr. Wm. Lemass also sings a couple of songs, including "The Sergeant Major" and "The Wheeltapper's Song."

The staging, dressing and effects are all that could be desired, and the work of the orchestra was excellent. Presented at 6.15 and 9.15 each evening, it is a show worth visiting.

THE TRUNK MURDER.

ACCUSED MAN'S STATEMENTS.

John Robinson (36), a clerk, was remanded at the Westminster Police Court, London, yesterday, charged with murdering Mrs. Minnie Bonati, whose remains were found in a black trunk a fortnight ago.

Robinson was arrested in bed in his lodgings in De Laune street by detectives.

The only witness examined yesterday was Chief Inspector Cornish, who said that on May 19th he saw Robinson at New Scotland Yard and took a statement from him, after which Robinson left the station. The Inspector said that he saw him again on Monday last at New Scotland Yard, when he said: "I realise this is serious. I met that woman at Victoria, and took her up to my offices, and I want to tell you about it. I done it and cut her up." The inspector told Robinson that he could make a statement if he wished, but that it would be written down and might be given in evidence against him, and he replied: "All right. I will tell you." He then made a statement and signed it. Afterwards the inspector, in consequence of something which Robinson had told him, went with him to Clapham Common, where in a tree which the prisoner had indicated a large knife was found.

On this evidence, the prisoner, who asked no questions, was remanded for eight days.

THE BREAK WITH RUSSIA.

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land in Queen Elizabeth's reign.— £... from conducting, outside of its own borders, any official propaganda, direct or indirect, against the institutions of the British Empire or the Russian Soviet Republic respectively."

THE CASE OF BORODIN.

His Majesty's Government have on several occasions found it necessary to draw the attention of the Soviet authorities to the breach of this engagement by Soviet emissaries in China. These have always been denied. On February 1st last Monsieur Rosengolz, the Soviet *Chargé d'Affaires* in this country, informed his Government that it was essential to give a short explanation to the Press, saying that Borodin was not a Soviet representative, and was not even in the service of the Soviet Government, but that he was a private citizen in the service of the Chinese Government, and that the Soviet Government were not answerable for his actions.

This message was followed up, three days later by another one stating that an announcement of Borodin's recent visit to Moscow, where he received instructions, had been previously published, and that, if possible, it would be desirable to contradict this.

On February 3rd Monsieur Rosengolz published a statement in the *Daily Telegraph*, to the effect that:—

"Borodin is a private individual, who is not, and never has been, in the service of the Soviet Government," and that, "in view of the fact that Monsieur Borodin has no relation whatever with the Soviet Government, it is therefore self-evident that the Soviet Government can in no way be held responsible for his actions and speeches."

LITVINOFF'S DENIAL.

On February 11 Sir Robert Hodgson made inquiries of Monsieur Litvinoff himself regarding Borodin, to which Monsieur Litvinoff replied that he did not know much about Borodin, except that he was a Russian Communist, and had been a friend of Sun-Yat-Sen, and that as for the allegation that Borodin was a representative of the Soviet Government, that was without foundation, and that the Soviet Government had no kind of connection with him, or responsibility for him. Yet there is in the possession of His Majesty's Government a telegram, dated November 12 last year, from the Commissariat for Foreign Affairs to the Soviet Representative in Peking, in the following terms:—

"I herewith communicate the Department's decision for your execution:—

"1.—Until a Soviet representative is appointed to Peking, Comrade Borodin is to take his orders direct from Moscow.

"2.—The Far Eastern Bureau to be informed that all its decisions and measures regarding questions of the general policy of the Kuomintang in China and of military-political work must be agreed on with Comrade Borodin.

"In the event of differences of opinion arising on these questions, they must be referred to Moscow for investigation. Borodin and the Far Eastern Bureau must keep Moscow's representatives in Peking informed of all their decisions and moves with regard to these questions.

"3.—Comrade Borodin's appointment as official Soviet representative in Canton is considered inadvisable. Borodin is to remain in charge of the work in the provinces under Canton rule, and an official representative to the Canton Government is to be appointed."

The denials of any responsibility for Borodin's actions made by the Soviet *Chargé d'Affaires* here, and by Monsieur Litvinoff in Moscow, were, therefore, untrue, and were made only in the hope of deceiving His Majesty's Government and the British public, while under their cloak Borodin was, in fact, carrying on his anti-foreign and anti-British activities as the authorised agent of the Soviet Government, and by their orders.

NOT CONFINED TO CHINA.

Nor have these illegitimate activities been confined to China. There has come into the possession of His Majesty's Government a telegram from the Soviet *Chargé d'Affaires* in London, to the Commissariat for Foreign Affairs, Moscow, dated April 1st last—i.e., some five weeks after the solemn warning conveyed in our Note of February 23rd. It is in the following terms:—

"COPY TO BERLIN, FOR TOMSKY."

"One of the principal obstacles for conducting a campaign of protest against British violence in China is the appalling supply of information, and the way in which the wide Labour circles are misled. It is necessary

"1.—To send by telegraph the official reports of the Nationalist Government on events at Nankin; in particular, facts which deny the information about Nankin given by Chamberlain in Parliament on 30th March. Copies to be sent to the I.L.P. and the *Daily Herald*.

"2—A message of the Shanghai united trades unions, addressed to the President of the General Council, Hicks, describing the situation and, in particular, pointing out that as a result of the British bombardment of Nankin a large number of members of trades unions lost their lives. If possible, it would be desirable to cite a number of instances emphasising the fact of British repressions against Chinese trades unions and their members. It is desirable to lay stress on the —— and to call upon British trade unions to help the Chinese Labour movement.

"3—Would it not be possible to make use in a favourable way of the encounter between the commander of the torpedo boat 'Woodcock' and the Chinese at Changsha? Both in England and with us there is only very vague information on this subject.

"4—I shall wire subsequently on the best way of organising the supply of information."

The House will observe that the Soviet representative was soliciting information for the purposes of a political campaign in this country, and giving the substance of the messages which he desired to see re-transmitted as news from China.

FEAR OF A RAID.

Finally, on April 13th, the Soviet *Chargé d'Affaires* telegraphed to the Commissariat for Foreign Affairs, Moscow:—

"I very much doubt the possibility of a raid on our Embassy. I would, however, consider it a very useful measure of precaution to suspend, for a time, the forwarding by post of documents of friends, neighbours, and soforth, from London to Moscow, and *vice versa*. Telegraph your decision immediately. In the telegram sent in reply, it is desirable to mention that the instructions emanate from the institutions concerned.

It is unnecessary to speculate as to the character of the documents about which he showed such anxiety.

THE GOVERNMENT'S DECISION.

His Majesty's Government, as the House knows from repeated declarations, have not been unaware of the active hostility of the Soviet Government elsewhere or of the illicit activities of their representatives here. In face of these breaches of the trade agreement and of international comity, His Majesty's Government have shown a patience and forbearance which is probably without a parallel in international relations. As late as last February they renewed, in the most solemn form, their protest and warning. It is clear that neither has had any effect.

Diplomatic relations, when thus deliberately and systematically abused, are themselves a danger to peace, and His Majesty's Government have, therefore, decided that, unless the House expresses its disapproval on Thursday, they will terminate the trade agreement, require the withdrawal of the Trade Delegation and Soviet Mission from London, and recall the British Mission from Moscow.

The legitimate use of Arcos is unaffected by these decisions, and His Majesty's Government are prepared, whilst terminating the privileges conferred by Articles 4, 5, and 6 of the trade agreement, to make all arrangements necessary for ordinary trade facilities between the two countries.

The Prime Minister was loudly cheered at the conclusion of his statement.

THE WHITE PAPER.

MR. CLYNES'S REQUEST.

Mr. Clynes—The temptation to put a number of questions is, of course, very great, but that temptation must be resisted, in view of the discussion on Thursday, but I will just put two or three questions to the Prime Minister, who will have observed the laughter with which even his own side of the House greeted the reading of certain parts of the more lurid portions of the statement. Mr. Clynes went on to say that he wanted to ask the Prime Minister whether any further documents or statements, or letters or communications, could be printed as a White Paper before Thursday. He thought that such papers would make a fitting volume after the volume of Communist literature which the Government issued some time ago. He wished to ask whether, after the raid and the discovery of these documents, and before the provisional decision which the Cabinet evidently reached, the Government made any representation to the Soviet Government—(Ministerial laughter)—with the view to discussion and conference that might lead to what, he hoped, all desired—a better understanding between Russia and this country. ("Oh!" and Ministerial ironical laughter.)

Mr. Baldwin said that the reason why he made a statement of such length was because he desired to give the House all the information he could, in view of Thursday's debate. It was quite obvious that they could not prepare and print a White Paper by Thursday's debate, but such a collection of papers would be prepared as quickly as possible. There was a large amount of material before them, but such papers as they might produce would support, but could not add materially to the statement which he had already made. "With regard to the second question," said Mr. Baldwin, "I answer that in the negative." (Ministerial cheers.)

Mr. Clynes—It would be impossible to print a complete volume, but could not the House have, before Thursday, the more material and relevant documents which caused the Cabinet to reach their decision?

Mr. Lloyd George reinforced Mr. Clynes's appeal, and asked the Prime Minister if he could not at least publish the documents from which he had read quotations.

Mr. Baldwin—Certainly.

THE ROSENGOLZ CONVERSATION.

Mr. Clynes asked if information could be given of the terms of the conversation which took place after the raid between the Foreign office and Mr. Rosengolz.

Mr. Baldwin said that if Mr. Clynes would repeat his question to-morrow the Foreign Secretary would give the information.

Lieutenant-Commander Kenworthy asked how the British people were to do business with Russia if the agreement was broken and the Russian Mission was requeted to leave.

Mr. Baldwin—That is a question which can be raised in the debate on Thursday.

Mr. J. H. Thomas asked Mr. Baldwin if the statement which he had read to the House contained the whole of the facts upon which the decision of the Cabinet was based.

Mr. Baldwin—It is quite obvious from what I have said that it does not contain all the information we have.

Mr. Hore Belisha—Will you say if any arrests have been made, or whether you propose to take any proceedings against anyone?

Mr. Baldwin—The first question can be answered in the negative. As to the second, I am not in a position to say anything.

A number of Labour members rose to put further questions, but the Speaker, amid some disorder, suggested that further matters could be raised in the debate on Thursday.

Mr. Samuel Samuel—May I ask if the Leader of the Opposition and the Opposition represent the Russian Government in this House? (Ministerial laughter, and Labour cries of "No.")

Considerable disorder followed.

The Speaker said that the hon. member should not make an allegation of that kind, and he should withdraw it.

Mr. Samuel said that he did not impute anything. He wanted to know the position definitely.

The Speaker—The hon. member withdraws the implication?

Mr. Samuel—Certainly.

Captain Garro Jones asked to be allowed to put a supplementary question. (Cries of "No," and disorder.) It was, he added, a question which was essentially preliminary to the debate on Thursday.

The Speaker—I have taken my decision. Further debate must take place in the proper way.

THE MISSING DOCUMENT.

Mr. Thurtle, before the Prime Minister made his statement, asked the Secretary for War if he would state how long the document for which search was made at Arcos, Ltd., had been missing from his Department.

Sir L. Worthington-Evans—I regret that it would not be in the public interest to give this information. (Ironical Labour laughter.)

Mr. Thurtle—Can the right hon. gentleman say whether this document is really a physical entity, or whether it is merely a figment of the imagination. (Loud Labour cheers, and cries of "Answer.")

There was no reply.

NO INCOMING LETTERS EXAMINED.

Lieutenant-Commander Kenworthy asked the Home Secretary if his attention had been called to the fact that during the search of the Russian Trade Delegations' Premises letters for the Chairman of the Delegation, which arrived by the diplomatic bag, were seized and opened.

Sir W. Joynson-Hicks replied that the allegation was incorrect. No in-coming letters were opened, but certain letters found on the table, stated to have come from Chesham House for transmission to Russia were opened, and after examination these were returned. These were outgoing letters. He was inaccurate when he stated on Monday that incoming letters were opened.

RADIUM TREATMENT.

REPORT OF IRISH COMMITTEE.

At a Scientific meeting of the Royal Dublin Society, which was held at Ballsbridge yesterday afternoon, Mr. L. B. Smyth, M.A., D.Sc., presiding, Mr. H. Poole, D.Sc., read the report of the Irish Radium Committee for the year 1926, which showed that the quantity of radium emanation issued during the year was 13,480 millicuries, which was slightly less than the "record" quantity issued in 1925. The apparatus had now been installed in its permanent position in the new laboratory, the radium itself being stored in a fire-proof room. The report contained details of the result of radium treatment of two of the largest users and recorded in full detail the treatment of 229 cases, many promising results being obtained.

Mr. W. H. Fordham, M.A. (Cantab), exhibited and explained the Eotvos Tersian Balance and Vertical Magnetometer. The former is used for measuring small variations in gravity, and is applied to locate ore bodies and salt deposits. This particular instrument has been used for two months in the County Clare in an attempt to locate bodies of lead ore, and so far results are proving satisfactory.

The Vertical Magnetometer is a field type of the observatory instrument, by the Rev. H. Lloyd, of Dublin, and which was first made by Messrs. Grubb, of Dublin. Its object is to locate magnetic ores.

"A Universal Growth Inhibiter in Living Tissues," was explained by Mr. P. O'Connor.

THE LIGHTS OF LURGAN.

At the meeting of the Lurgan Urban Council, Mr. W. Pleasance (Belfast), the Council's Consulting Electrical Engineer, reported that he had received 116 applications for making connections in regard to lighting and electric power purposes. He recommended the purchase of an additional 200 h.p. engine, subject to arrangements regarding an additional loan. This was agreed to.

It was decided to light the main street of the town with electricity, from the boundary in Edward street to the boundary on the avenue road.

The Chairman (Mr. John S. Carrick) said that there was every possibility of the electric light being available in the town in about a month or so.

U.S. MARKETS.

BRIGHT SPOTS IN INDUSTRIALS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, Tuesday.

Stocks opened irregular, and increased selling pressure accompanied a resumption of the upward movement. The calling in by the banks of twenty million dollars of brokers' loans dampened the bullish enthusiasm; but Mr. Lorees' announcement that no time will be lost in completing the revised South-Western Railroad merger plan stimulated Rails. Railroad Equipment shares also ruled firm, and an accumulation of Sugar issues was based on expectations of heavy flood damage to the Louisiana crop. Several Industrials and Railroads passed previous peak prices; but some other industrials displayed weakness, with Motors, Rubbers, Chemicals and Steels the hardest hit. In the final dealings the selling relaxed markedly, and Case Threshing Machine, International Harvester, Commercial Solvents "B," and U.S. Cast Iron Pipe rallied 5 to 9 points from the lowest. The market closed steady. Government Bonds irregular; Railroad Bonds irregular. The day's sales totalled 2,112,000 shares.

Money on call closed firm at 4½ per cent. bid and 4¾ per cent. asked; all business was transacted at 4½ per cent. Sterling exchange steady; silver unchanged at 56⅞c.

	Tues.	Mon.
Call Money	½p.b. 4⅝	½p.b. 4⅝
Exchange on Lon.—60 days sight	4.81 11/16	4.81 11/16
Do do Demand Bills	4.85⅝	4.85⅝
Cable Transfers	4.85⅝	4.85 31/32
Do. Montreal	Closed	4.85½
Exchange Paris cable	3.91¾	3.91¾

Eng. Parity	Stocks.	Tues	Mon.
186 15/16	Atchison, Topeka, Santa Fe	181½	182¼
103½	Do. Pref.	102½	102⅝
127	Baltimore and Ohio	123⅝	124
189 11/16	Canadian Pacific	184¼	184
14 15/16	Chicago, Milwaukee, & St. Paul	14¼	14⅞
90 15/16	Chicago and North West.	87¼	87⅝
57	Erie Shares	55⅝	57⅛
62⅝	Erie 1st Preferred	60⅝	59¼
130 5/16	Illinois Central	126½	127⅛
145 1/16	Louisville and Nashville	141	142
47¼	Missouri, Kansas, and Texas	45⅞	45½
85 1/16	Missouri Pacific New	54⅛	55⅞
156 1/16	New York Cntral & Hudson R.	151½	152
185 7/16	Norfolk and West Com.	180⅛	180½
90 3/16	Northern Pacific Com.	88¼	88⅝
64⅞	Pennsylvania Shares	63	62⅝
120 9/16	Reading Shares	117¼	119
42 7/16	Do. Pref.	41⅜	41 31/32
116 7/16	Southern Pacific	113⅛	113¼
130 3/8	Southern Railway	126⅞	125⅞
183¾	Union Pacific	178½	179½
85 15/16	Do. Pref.	83½	83½
50 15/16	American Can. (New Stock)	49⅛	50½
163 9/16	American Smelt. and Refining	158⅞	159⅛
47⅜	Anaconda Copper	46	46½
—	Anglo-American Oil	—	19⅞
51 7/16	Bethlehem Steel Com. Stock	50	50⅞
26	Brit.-American Tobacco Coupon	25¼	—
105 7/16	New York Consolidated Gas	103⅜	104
100	General Electric (New Stock)	97⅛	97½
196 7/16	General Motors (New)	190⅝	194
7 3/16	Inter. Mer. Marine Com. Certs.	7	7⅛
46 1/16	Do. Pref. Certs.	44⅝	45¾
29¾	International Pet. of Canada	28⅞	29
203 7/16	National Lead	197½	197½
89 13/16	Pan-American Petroleum "B"	58	57⅞
46 3/16	Shell Transport and Trading	45½	45½
28 5/16	Shell Union Oil Corp.	27¼	27⅜
53¼	U.S. Rubber	50⅝	51¼
177 5/16	United States Steel Common	172⅛	172½
136¾	Do. Pref.	132⅞	132¼
—	Silver Commercial Bars	56⅜	56⅜
	BONDS.		
99⅞	Atch. Top. New 4% Gen. Mort	97	96⅞
80 5/16	Erie Rail. Gen. 4% Lien Bonds	78	78¼
100½	Union Pacific 4% Bonds	97⅝	97⅝
111 3/16	U.S. Steel 2nd Mort. 5% Bonds	108	107¾
122 5/16	U.K. 5½ per cent. Bonds, 1929	118⅝	118⅝
107 15/16	Do. Do. 1937	104⅞	105
110 1/16	7 per cent. German Loan	107	107
109⅜	U.S. Treas. 3¼ p.c. Bds., 46-56	106 31/32	106 1/4

* Asked; † Ex div.; ‡ Ex interest; ‖ Ex rights.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKETS.

WHEAT—Spots firm, 2½c. to ⅞c. higher.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
No. 2 Hard Winter, spot	165¼	163⅝
No. 2 Red Winter, spot	159	158⅛
No. 2 Mixed Durum, spot	—	—
No. 1 Northern Manitoba, spot	—	173⅞

Futures strong, 4c. to 2½c. up. Closing options—May 150. July 146, September 144.

OATS irregular, 1¼c. down to ¼c. up. Closing options—May 51¼, July 53¼.

RYE strong and 3½c. up. No. 2, spot, 128½.

BARLEY steady and unchanged. American Malting, 98½.

MAIZE firm and 2⅜c. up.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Western No. 2 mixed spot	105⅞	103½

LARD firm and 20 points up. Prime Western Steam, 13.05; Middle West, 12.80 to 12.90.

FLOUR steady. Spring Clears (100 per cent.), 6.85 to 7.20.

FREIGHTS.

Heavy grain to Great Britain (per quarter), 2/- to 3/-.

Heavy grain to the Continent (per 100 lbs.), 14c. to 18c.

Cotton—High density to Great Britain (per 100 lbs.), 40c.

Cotton—Standard bales to Great Britain (per 100 lbs.), 55c.

PETROLEUM steady.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Standard White in cases	16.15	16.15
Standard White in barrels	12.75	12.75
Do. Philadelphia	12.75	12.75
Mid-Continent Crude	33-33.9	33-33.9
Pennsylvania Crude	2.60-2.90	2.60-2.90

RUBBER quiet but steady. First latex crepe, spot, 41½ buyers; smoked ribbed sheets, spot, 40⅞ buyers, 41½ sellers.

COFFEE—

Options—	May	July	Sept.	Dec.	Jan.	Mar.
To-day	13.29	12.45	11.75	11.42	11.35	11.27
Prev. day	13.20	12.45	11.78	11.42	11.35	11.25

SUGAR—Centrifugal Cuban spot easy; 96 test centrifugal Cuban, 4.83 asked. Futures steady, 3 to 1 point lower.

Options—	July	Aug.	Sept.	Dec.	Jan.	Mar	May.
To-day	3.03	3.08	3.13	3.20	3.05	2.89	2.96
Prev. day	3.05	3.10	3.15	3.23	3.06	2.90	2.97

TALLOW steady. Extra loose, 7¾.

SHELLAC—T.N., 47½.

TURPENTINE—Spirits of turpentine, 65½; Savannah spirits of turpentine, 56½ to 57.

METALS—Tin steady. Spot 25 and August 12½ points higher. Nearby and spot, New York, 68.00. Future option—August, 64.37½. Lead steady and unchanged. Spot, New York, 6.50; spot, East St. Louis, 6.17½. Zinc steady and without change. Spot, East St. Louis, 6.07½. Pig iron steady. Northern No. 2 Plain, f.o.b. Furnace, Eastern Pennsylvania, 20.50; No. 2 Plain, Buffalo (delivery Boston), 22.41 by rail and 20.25 by water.

The Winnipeg markets are closed to-day.

NEW YORK COTTON.

COTTON opened steady, unchanged to 9 points down. The market closed steady at 21 to 13 points loss. Spot quiet and 5 points lower. New Orleans spot 11 points down.

Spot middling upland at New York, 16.55.

Receipts—Atlantic ports, 7,000 bales; Gulf, 8,000; Pacific, nil; interior towns, 4,000.

Exports—Great Britain, 3,000; Continent, 9,000; Japan, 8,000.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Tuesday.

WHEAT opened steady, ½c. up to ½c. down. Jins in the dry areas of Oklahoma caused some easing in prices; then values advanced, especially the May options, on predictions of further jins in the spring wheat sections, also owing to a bullish Kansas State report, the decreased Bradstreet's figures, and reduced Canadian acreage estimated. The market closed strong, with May 5¼c., and other options 2½c. to 2⅝c. up. Spot strong.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
No. 2 Hard Winter, spot	149½	147
No. 3 Hard Winter, spot	149	—

Futures—Opening options—	May	July	Sept.
To-day	146¾	142	139¾
Prev. day	144⅛	140⅝	137⅜

Futures—Closing options—	May	July	Sept.
To-day	152	144¼	142¼
Prev. day	146⅝	141⅜	139⅜

MAIZE was steady and ⅜c. up at the opening. The closing was firm at gains of 2½c. to 2¾c. Spot No. 2 mixed unquoted.

Futures—Opening options—	May	July	Sept.
To-day	89½	92⅜	94⅛
Prev. day	89½	92	94⅜

Futures—Closing options—	May	July	Sept.
To-day	91⅜	94¼	96⅛
Prev. day	89⅛	92	94⅛

OATS advanced on cash houses buying and unfavourable weather reports, closing firm, ¾c. to 1c. higher.

Futures—Closing options—	May	July	Sept.
To-day	49⅛	50	48⅛
Prev. day	48⅞	49⅝	47⅝

RYE—Renewed export inquiries in the North-West, crop damage reports, and the smallness of stocks induced heavy covering of near positions; then realising brought partial recessions. The market closed firm, however, with May 86, and other options 3½c. up. No. 2 spot, 117.

Futures—Closing options—	May	July	Sept.
To-day	117½	113⅝	107⅝
Prev. day	112½	109¼	103

PROVISIONS—Lard opened steady. The weakness of hogs induced some easiness early; then the market rallied in sympathy with corn and on packers buying and closed steady, with futures 7½ to 10 and spot 17½ points up. Ribs were depressed owing to cash houses selling, and closed easy at 10 to 15 points fall. Lard—Spot, 12.30. Closing options—May, 12.30; July, 12.42½; September, 12.624. Ribs—Closing options—May, 12.80; July, 12.85; September, 12.90.

Lard—Closing options—	May	July	Sept.
To-day	12.30

LAST NIGHT'S COURT.

Miss Priscilla Perrott, daughter of Lady Perrott and the late Sir Hubert Perrott, who was presented at Court last night. She is descended from Sir John Perrott, Lord Deputy of Ireland in Queen Elizabeth's reign.—*Lafayette.*

Miss Sheila Gaunt, daughter of Admiral Sir Ernest and Lady Gaunt, who was presented at Court last night. Lady Gaunt is a daughter of the late Mr. John Martyn, of Gregan's Castle, Co. Clare.—*Lafayette.*

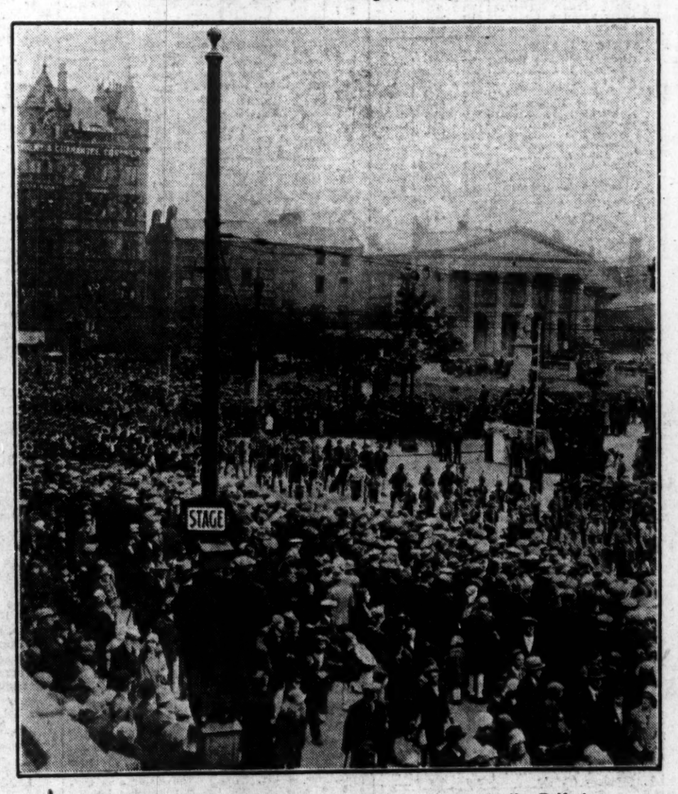
Mr. W. W. Wakefield, who for several years captained the English Rugby XV., has purchased a light aeroplane. He is seen here leaving Stag Lane Aerodrome after a flight.

EMPIRE DAY IN BELFAST.

Feather boas have come into fashion again. A snapshot taken at the Longchamps Racecourse, Paris. The boas are being worn with crêpe-de-chine dresses in pastel shades.

The Governor of Northern Ireland (the Duke of Abercorn, K.P.) yesterday unveiled the war memorial at Bangor, County Down.

The Duke of Abercorn took the salute as the Empire Day procession passed the City Hall, Belfast



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Group taken on board the Lady Limerick at the North Wall, Dublin, last night, when representatives of the chemists and druggists sailed for Liverpool, en route to Port Sunlight. The group includes:—Mr. Hanna, Sir James Percy, Mr. David Barry, Mr. F. J. Fitzpatrick (President of the Pharmaceutical Society of Ireland), Mr. H. J. Sumner, M.P.S.I., Mr. J. Smith, M.P.S.I. (President of the Provincial Druggists' Association), and Mr. D. Warwick, M.P.S.I.

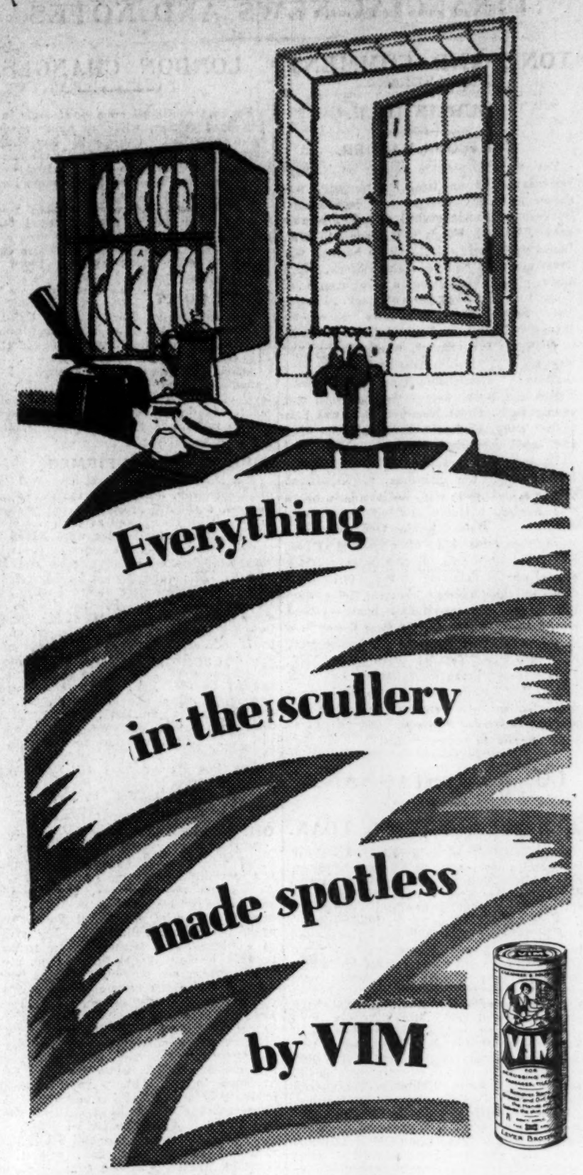
JOURNALISTS AND JURIES BILL.

As a result of an amendment to the Juries Bill, inserted in the Seanad, exemption from jury service is granted to "persons engaged in whole-time employment on the staff of any daily or weekly newspaper, as editor (whether chief, subordinate, or special), literary manager, writer of articles, reporter, or artist." The bill has now passed through all its stages in both Houses. At a special meeting of the Committee of the Dublin and Irish Association District of the Institute of Journalists a hearty vote of thanks to the Senators who supported the amendment was passed.

FATAL CYCLING ACCIDENT.

Peter Sloan (12), of Sultin, Carrickmore, County Tyrone, died from the effects of injuries received by being run down by a cyclist on Sunday evening.

Last Sunday the Most Rev. Dr. Brownrigg, Bishop of Ossory, laid the foundation stone of the curate's new residence at Freshford, County Kilkenny.



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ROYAL IRISH REGIMENT.

MASS FOR THE DEAD IN CLONMEL.

Last Sunday about 100 ex-soldiers of the 18th Royal Irish Regiment assembled on the square in the military barracks, Clonmel, under Captain Smith, D.C.M., and, having been addressed by Major-General R. O Kellett, C.B., marched in good military order, headed by the Clonmel Pipers' Band, to SS. Peter and Paul's Church where 12 o'clock Mass was offered for the dead soldiers of the regiment. The Dead March in "Saul" was played by Mr. Minchin, organist, at the close of the Mass, and the men, having marched back to the barrack square, were dismissed.

NEWRY IMPROVEMENT SCHEME.

Newry Urban Council decided to embark on a further street and road improvement scheme for the Urban District, at an estimated cost of £26,000 odd, less the grants received in aid from the Road Fund. The scheme includes the laying in asphalt of Hill street and provision of a new bridge over the canal at Monaghan street, at an estimated cost of £6,000.

Wheat figures soared two or three cents on the opening of the Winnipeg Grain Exchange yesterday, following unfavourable reports.

ELECTROCUTED?

LABOURER'S DEATH IN LIFFEY TUNNEL.

While working in the new Liffey tunnel at Ringsend, seventy feet below the ground, Thomas Hughes (56), a labourer, of 21 Merchant's cottages, Dublin, suddenly collapsed yesterday, and on being taken to Sir Patrick Dun's Hospital was found to be dead.

It appears that he was holding an electric flex to light the way for the other men who were working in the tunnel, when he collapsed. It is said that electrocution was the cause of death.

An inquest will be held to-day.

BISHOP AND DANCE HALLS.

The Most Rev. Dr. Hackett, Bishop of Waterford, paid his triennial visitation to St. Mary's, Clonmel, last Sunday, where he confirmed a large number of children. In the course of an address the Bishop said that he was not against enjoyment or pleasure; but the enjoyment and pleasure must be innocent, and according to rules and safeguards; and these could not obtain in dance houses, where proper supervision was not provided, and where young people were allowed to leave them and go home at unseemly hours.

FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

TONE AND COMMENT.

DUBLIN IDLE.

TOBACCOS HARDER.

Business was poor in volume on 'Change yesterday, and an irregular tendency was shown in pretty nearly all departments. Government Funds opened dull, but became harder. British Funds still tended to ease. Banks were well held, but little business was done, except in Bank of Ireland Stock, which again closed higher on a continuance of support in a market bare of stock. Provincial issues for odd lots show no change. Dealing in Breweries was confined to Guinness Ord. Shares, which finally gave way slightly. Dublin Distillers issues were neglected. Castlebellingham and Drogheda Shares and Debs. were rather bid for; and among Rails, Great Northern Ord. was firm at last price, while the Pref. came on offer and eased somewhat, but the Guaranteed Stock appeared to close 62 to 65 unofficially, against 60¼, the previous price. Great Southern Ord. gave way, but the Deb. Stock was harder. Dublin United Tram Ord. remain dull. Dunlop Rubber Ord. closed just steady round 34s. 1½d., after opening at 34s. 3d. Thwaites Ord. Shares were scarcely altered on the deferring of the interim dividend on the Ordinary Shares. Helys were bid for on the satisfactory final dividend statement. Drapery Shares were firmer in a very idle market. Bradford Dyers gave way, but otherwise Textiles were well held. Tobaccos closed the turn harder, but both Lever Bros. Pref. and Vickers Ord. were dull. Burke Ord. were less firm, but did not change hands. Imperial Chemical Shares were on sale to secure profits.

LONDON STAGNANT.

A NEW MUNICIPAL LOAN.

Dealings continued on a restricted scale in the London stock markets as a whole yesterday, while a dull tone still ruled in several directions. Arrangements are being made for the early issue of a Bradford Corporation Loan for £2,000,000 in 5 p.c. Stock redeemable in 1942-57. The issue price is expected to be 100½. A quiet and easier tone again prevailed in the gilt-edged section, and where quotations were altered lower levels were recorded. Foreign Government stocks were also easier in a few instances, but, as a whole, prices were well held. Home Rails were in a dull condition, but, with the exception of North-Eastern Def.-Ord., which shed part of their improvement of Monday, final values were the same as before. Among Colonial and Foreign Rails, "Canpacs" advanced further, while Cordoba Centrals were firmer.

There was little going on in the Industrial sections as a whole. Dunlops were easier at first, but they stiffened again later. Tobaccos were quiet, and Textiles weakened in some instances. Iron and Steels were quiet, as were Rubbers, but the latter developed a firmer tone. Oils were dull and easier in a number of cases, while South African Mining issues, with Johannesburg closed for Empire Day and Paris a seller, continued heavy. Tin closed 15s. per ton up on balance at £295 17s. 6d., after being down to £294 at the first call-over. Bauchis continued firm, and Tin Selections were better, but, as a whole, little change was shown.

GOLD MINE IN TURKEY.

A valuable gold mine has been discovered near Viza, a town in Thracian Turkey.

RAND PROFITS.

The cable issued by the Transvaal Chamber of Mines supplementary to its monthly output and labour statistics gives the estimated working profits of the mines of the Witwatersrand district for April at £1,021,952, and of the outside districts at £45,653, a total of £1,067,615. This shows an increase of £49,745 upon the result for the corresponding month of 1926.

ARGENTINE CROPS.

The Anglo-South American Bank has received the following cable from Buenos Aires, dated 19th May:—"Ploughing for the wheat, linseed, and oats crops continues, but more rain would be of great assistance. Sowing has commenced in the northern and central districts of the agricultural zone. Picking and shelling of maize are proceeding generally. The camps are in fair condition, but further rain would be beneficial. In general, the commercial situation is quiet. Stocks of imported goods are reported to be sufficient for local needs, and no import demand appears likely to arise for some time. Prospects for wintering of the herds and flocks are not at present considered favourable."

R. AND J. LEA'S CAPITAL.

A meeting of shareholders of R. and J. Lea, Ltd., the tobacco and cigarette manufacturers of Stockport, has been summoned for June 2nd to consider proposals for the reconstruction of the company involving a reduction of capital from £220,000 to £21,500. It is further intended to create 12,000 7½ p.c. "A" Preference shares.

PROVINCIAL EXCHANGES.

BIRMINGHAM.—Business chiefly in Singers and Austin Preferred, which both displayed strength. Guys dragging. Lucas better. Dunlops finished firmly after being lower. Austins 15/-; Preferred 11/7½; Bluemels, 45/3; Components, 5/9; S.T.D., 8/-; Enfields, 28/9; Guys, 14/11½; Humbers, 39/-; Lucas, 23/-; Dennis, 68½; Napier, 41/-; Rolls-Royce, 33/3; Rovers, 6/6; Singers, 21/-; Standards, 25/-; Triumphs, 28/-; Dunlops, 34/3. Parent Deferred, 28/4½.

MANCHESTER.—Textiles quiet, but Bleachers made some recovery. Bleachers, 41/-41/6; Calicos, 26/3-26/9; Bradford Dyers, 46/6-47/6; Sewing Cottons, 50/-51/-; Fine Spinners, 45/-43/6; "Shubers," 7/7½; Coats, 235/6; Ship Canal, 15/9-16/-; Velvets, 19/3-19/9; Courtaulds, 122/6-123/9; Dunlops, 34/-34/3; Amalgamated Cotton, 4/9-5/-; Hoyles, 24/3-24/9; Nuera Silk, 25/-, do. Def., 18/-.

DUBLIN SHIPPING REPORT.

Barometer at 5 p.m.—30.10.

Foreign Arrival—Ss. Trito, of Rotterdam, 375 tons register, Captain Boll, from Rotterdam, with general cargo, discharged at Transit Sheds, North Wall Extension, and proceeded to Belfast with part cargo.

Coastwise Arrivals—Ss. Lady Louth, from Liverpool, with passengers and goods; ss. Brier, from Heysham, with passengers and goods; ss. Slieve Donard, ss. South Stack, from Holyhead, with goods; ss. Lady Wicklow, from Manchester, with goods; ss. Clareisland, from Liverpool, with empties; ss. Glenageary, from Partington, with coals; ss. Scrab Brough, from Garston, with coals; ss. Cairngorm, from Ayr, with coals; ss. Ribblebank, from Swansea, with coals; ss. River Humber, from Glasgow, with coals; ss. Olive, ss. Alyn, from Newport, with coals; ss. Lady Limerick, from Liverpool, light; m.v. Uncle Ned, from Wicklow, light; ss. Westdale, from Waterford light.

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LONDON CHANGES.

Business continued on a quiet scale in the gilt-edged section, while an easier tendency again prevailed. Consols 2½ p.c. dropped back to 55, or ¼ below Monday's value, while among War Loans the Fives at 100¾ were ¼ down. 5½ p.c. Treasury Bonds eased further to 101¼, or ¼ down.

In the Foreign Government stock market French Fives fell to 18¾ x.d., or ¼ lower, while Chinese 4½ p.c. 1898 at 89 were a full point down. Japanese 6 p.c. 1924 also eased, the final level of 94 being ½ below the previous value.

RAILS QUIET.

In Home Rails, North-Eastern Def.-Ord. suffered a set-back after their improvement of the previous day, the closing level of 21½ being ¼ lower.

Among Colonials and Foreign Rails, Canadian-Pacifics rallied further, the final level of 190 showing an advance of another point. Cordoba Central 2nd Pref. hardened a trifle to 56, and Entre Rios Ord. went off the turn to 67½.

RUBBER SHARES FIRMER.

The Rubber share market remained in a quiet condition, but, despite the slackness of interest, a slightly firmer tendency prevailed in several directions, and at the close of the day a number of advances were scored. A steady tone ruled in the commodity market, with a moderate business. Spot and May sold 1s. 7½d.; June fetched 1s. 8d. per lb.; July to September were quoted 1s. 8¾d., and October-December 1s. 9d. per lb. In the share market, Allied Sumatra at 22s. 6d. x.d. were 6d. better, and Anglo-Java put on 3d. to 7s. 6d. c.d. Grand Central advanced to 42s. 6d., or 9d. better, and Kuala Muda at 49s. 10½d. were 7½d. to the good. Pegoh spurted to 48s. 11d., or 1s. 3d. up, and Sapong gained a like amount to 46s. c.d. Rubber Trusts finished 6d. better, and Malayalam at 40s. 3d. were also 6d. up on the day. Tebrau stiffened to 52s. 6d., or 1s. 3d. better, and Tandjong Malim and United Sua Betong were all 7½d. harder. F.M.S. Planters lost 1s. 3d. to 68s. 9d. c.d., while Sungei Krian Pref. at 50s. c.d. were 2s. 6d. lower.

OIL SHARES DULL.

Dull conditions again prevailed in the Oil Share market, with business in all but a few specialities on an extremely small scale. As on the preceding day, the recognised leaders showed little change at the close, the firmness of Shells and Royal Dutch being again particularly noticeable. The market as a whole had a slightly harder tendency towards the close, though there was no noticeable increase in business. Royal Dutch again provided the firmest spot, the shares continuing in steady demand, both locally and from Amsterdam. After touching 31½, they left off firm at the overnight level of 31¾. A steady business was transacted in Shells around 4¾, and the bearer shares remained firm at 4½, while the 7 p.c. Prefs. hardened to 26s. 1½d. Anglo-Americans, following New York advices, were firm, but, after touching 3¾, finished without alteration at 3¼. Anglo-Persians were finally ⅛ down at 4¾, and the 8 p.c. and 9 p.c. Prefs. weakened to 27s. and 28s., respectively. Burmahs weakened at one time to 5¾, but left off rather buyers at the overnight level of 5⅞. Mexican Eagle commanded very little attention, and finished without alteration. Rather less interest was displayed in British Controlled Prefd., which fluctuated between 14s. 6d. and 14s. 9d. buyers, finishing with a small gain at 14s. 7½d. The Common remained quiet at 7s. Lobitos, after having been offered down to 5¼, rallied to 5⅜, which left them ⅛ up on the day. Anglo-Ecuadorians fell ⅛ to 1⅞.

INDUSTRIALS IRREGULAR.

Trading in the Industrial Market yesterday was on a small scale, and prices in some instances were allowed to sag from lack of interest. The tone for the most part was described as irregular. American Celanese were again prominent in the Art-silk group, the Common putting on 2¾ to 41¼, with the Preferred marked ½ higher at 29. Canadian Celanese stiffened to 10⅞. Courtaulds hardened to 64⅛, and buyers were again in evidence for Nueras, the Ordinary improving to 25s. 3d. and the Deferred to 18s. 9d. British Celanese Ordinary closed unchanged at 14s. 3d., but the Pref. stiffened to 15s. 10½d. Snia Viscosa eased to 45s. 6d. Most of the other Textiles came on offer. Bradford Dyers fell 1s. to 46s. 6d., and Calico Printers 6d. to 26s. 6d. Coal, Steel and Engineering descriptions continued on the down grade, but William Corys were a good spot, rising 1s. to 57s. 6d. Irregularity developed in the Electrical Equipment section. Supply shares were dull. Shipping issues were inclined to be easier. P. and O. Def. reacted 5 to 295, and Cunard Ord. shed 6d. at 26s. 6d. On the other hand, Canada Steamship put on ½ to 39. Breweries gave way slightly in places, Allsopps receding to 20s., Courage Ord. to 65s., and Hoare Ord. to 57s. 6d.

Tobaccos were fairly steady, though hesitation was shown in places. A. Bakers at 35s. and R. and J. Hill 1¼ drooped, but "Imps" hardened slightly to 100s. 3d. Carreras, "Bats," and Godfrey Phillips closed unchanged. Land Shares moved within narrow limits. Traction issues developed weakness, Brazilian Common falling 2 to 146½, Barcelona 1 to 49, Mexico Trams ½ to 26½, and Sidros ⅛ to 15½. Motor shares were also dull. Napiers at 41s. 3d. and Rovers at 6s. 6d. Stores and kindred issues showed little variation, and both Catering and Foodstuffs proved featureless. Banks received quiet support, British of West Africa at 4½, Bank of Montreal at 61½, Midland at 9¼, and Westminsters at 13¼. Some irregular movements were seen among Newspapers. "Mirrors," at 6¼, and "Pictorials," at 4, found supporters; but Allieds gave way to 54s., and Inveresk Paper to 5¼, with International Pulp Pref. offered at 34s. 6d.

In the Miscellaneous department most of the interest centred around Gramophones and Graphopones, which rose to 93s. 1½d. and 3s. 6d., respectively, with quite a good turnover. Dunlops hardened to 34s. 4½d., but some profit-taking occurred among Imperial Chemicals, the Ord. reacting to 26s. 1½d. and the Defd. to 7s. 3½. Pinchin Johnsons were inquired for a ⅛, and Bryant and Mays improved to 52s. 6d. On the other hand, Swedish Match "B" Shares eased to 15⅜, and Bell's Asbestos were marked down to 1¾ and Boraz Cons. Pref. to 4½. Among recent issues, County of London electric Debs. were favoured at ¼ prem., and Greaves, Bull and Lakin Shares hardened to 6s. 1½d. Scribbins eased to 9s., and the Defd. to 2s. 6d.

INSURANCE SHARES.

BUSINESS DONE IN LONDON:—Alliance New, 18; Associated Reinsurance, 13/9¾; Caledonian Insurance, 1¾; Commercial Union, 25⅜; do New, 24⅛; do. Issued at £16 (£12 paid), 20⅛; Employers' Liability, 7⅞; 5/-, 6d. General Accident, 73¼; London Assurance, 11⅛, £11 3/3; North British, 25¾, ⅛; Royal Insurance, 35¼; Scottish Union, 11⅞; United British Ord., 26/6; do. Pref., 17⅛.

BUSINESS DONE IN LIVERPOOL:—Alliance, £17 1/9; Commercial Union, 25⅜; Employers' Liability, 7⅝; General Accident, 73⅛; London Assurance, 11⅛; North British, 25⅜; Royal Insurance, 35⅛.

BRITISH REVENUE.

RECEIPTS.

	Estimates for 1927-28.	April 1, 1927, to May 21, 1927.
	£	£
Customs	112,120,000	14,565,000
Excise	145,750,000	20,591,000
Motor Vehicle Duties	24,100,000	3,362,000
Estate, etc., Duties	67,800,000	8,730,000
Stamps	23,500,000	1,960,000
Land Tax, etc.	800,000	60,000
Income Tax	247,000,000	19,753,000
Super Tax	62,000,000	7,980,000
Excess Profits Duty	3,000,000	—
Corporation Profits Tax	2,700,000	370,000
Post Office	62,000,000	8,300,000
Crown Lands	1,050,000	139,000
Interest on Loans	25,300,000	2,891,214
Miscellaneous—		
Ordinary Receipts	30,500,000	914,442
Special Receipts	27,000,000	2,264,413
Total	834,830,000	92,071,069

EXPENDITURE.

	Estimates for 1927-28.	April 1, 1927, to May 21, 1927.
	£	£
National Debt Services	370,000,000	48,281,151
Road Fund	19,500,000	2,020,044
Payments to Local Taxation	14,500,000	150,000
Payments to Northern Ireland	5,400,000	614,008
Other Consolidated Fund Services	3,700,000	240,866
Supply Services	426,490,000	30,355,300
Total	833,390,000	101,661,369

TRAFFICS.

Mersey Railway.—Week to May 21, £4,312, increase, £297.

LATEST CLOSING AND STREET PRICES.

BRITISH FUNDS, ETC.

	Closing.	Rise or fall.
Consols	54⅞ 55⅛	– ⅛
Do. 4% "A"	55⅝ 55⅞	– ⅛
Do. 2½ "B"	55⅝ 55⅞	– ⅛
Do. Part paid	⅝ ⅞pm	.....
War Loan, 3½%	99⅛ 100	.....
Do. 4½%	95½ 96	.....
Do. 5%	100¼ 100½	– ⅛
Do. 4% (Tax Free)	100 100⅛	.....
Funding Loan	88¼ 87⅛	.....
Victory Bonds	92¼ 92¾	.....
3½% Conversion Loan	78¼ 78½	.....
4½% Conversion Loan	97⅛ 98¼	.....
5½ Treasury Bonds	101 101⅛	– ⅛
Irish Land 2½%	58 59	.....
India 3%	59½ 60½	.....
Do. 3½%	69½ 70½	.....
Do. 5½%	102⅜ 103½	.....
Do. 7%	102 103	.....
Local Loans	64 64½	.....
Sudan 5½%	107 109	.....

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCKS.

Australian Com. 5%	97 99	.....
Do. do. 6%	102 104	.....
British Col. 4½, 1941	94 96	.....
Canada 4%, 1940-60	97 99	.....
Cape 3½ Cons.	79 81	.....
Ceylon 6%	107 109	.....
New South Wales 4½, '22-7	100½ 101½	.....
Do. do. 5½, 1922-7	99 100	.....
Do. do. 6% %, 1930-60	102 104	.....
New Zealand 4%, '29	97 98	.....
Nigeria 6%	111 113	.....
Queensland 4%, '50-80	79 81	.....
Do. do. 5%, '30-60	101 103	.....
South Africa 4% Cons.	84 86	.....
Do. 6%	101 103	.....
South Australian 4%, '40-80	80 82	.....
Do. do. 6½%	103 105	.....
Victoria 4%, '40-60	80 82	.....
Do. 6½%, 1923-8	100 102	.....
Western Australia 5%, '25-45	96 98	.....
Do. do. 6%, 1930-60	101 103	.....

BANKS.

Anglo-South American	6⅛ 6¾	.....
Bank of Australasia	14½ 14⅝	.....
Bank of England	245 250	.....
Bank of Montreal	60½ 62½	.....
Bank of New South Wales	47 48	.....
Do. New Zealand	2⅞ 3	.....
Barclays (D.C.O.) Shares	7⅜ 8⅛	.....
British Overseas	5¾ 6	.....
Canadian of Commerce	60¾ 61½	.....
Chartered of India	19½ 20	.....
Hong Kong and Shanghai	116 119	.....
Lloyds	61⅞ 62⅝	.....
Midland	81⅛ 81⅝	+⅛
National Discount "B"	81⅛ 81⅝	.....
National Provincial (£4 pd.)	12⅛ 13⅛	.....
Royal of Canada	55 57	.....
Standard of South Africa	14¼ 14⅝	.....
Union of Australia	15¼ 15⅝	.....
Westminster Bank	18⅜ 19⅛	+⅛

FOREIGN BONDS.

M.U.—May 23.

Argentine 5 p.c., 1886	100 102	.....
Do. 4 p.c. Recissions	83 85	.....
Do. 5 p.c. 1909	94 96	.....
Belgian 7 p.c. Loan	106 108	.....
Brazil 4 p.c. 1889	57 59	.....
Do. Funding, 1908	90 92	.....
Do. 5 p.c. do., 1914	83 85	.....
Chinese 6 p.c., 1896	79 81	.....
Do. 4½ p.c., 1898	88 89	–1
Do. 5 p.c., 1912	40 44	.....
Czecho-Slovakia Bonds	107 109	.....
Egyptian Unified	82½ 83½	.....
French Loan	18¼ 19¼	– ¼
Do. 4 p.c.	13 14	.....
German 7 p.c.	104 106	.....
Greek Loan	7⅞ 8⅛	.....
Italian Rentes	17 19	.....
Japan 4 p.c., 1905	91 93	.....
Do. 6 p.c., 1924	93½ 94½	– ½
Mexican 5 p.c., '99	7 8	.....
Do. 6 p.c. 10-Y. Treas	45 53	.....
Peruvian Corporation	11 12	.....
Do. Pref.	46 47	.....
Do. Deb.	101 103	.....
Portuguese 3 p.c.	38 40	.....
Spanish 4 p.c.	75 79	.....
Turkish Unified	24½ 25½	.....
Uruguay 3½ p.c.	67 68	.....

BRITISH RAILS.

Great Western	90 91	.....
Do. Cons. Pref.	93 95	.....
Ldn. Mid. & Scot. Ord.	77 78	.....
Do. 4 p.c. Pref.	72 74	.....
Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pref.	95 98	.....
Do. 4 p.c. Pref., 1923	70 72	.....
Ldn. North-East. 5 p.c. Pref. Ord.	52 53	.....
Do. Def. Ord.	21 21½	– ¼
Do. 4 p.c. 1st Pref.	66 68	.....
Do. 4 p.c. 2nd Pref.	61 63	.....
Metropolitan	62 63	.....
Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	89 92	.....
Do. District	62 63	.....
Southern Pref. Ord.	77 78	.....
Do. Def. Ord.	41 42	.....
Underground Elec. (£1)	18⅞ 19⅛	.....
Do Income Bonds	103 105	.....
Do. 6 p.c. Debs.	101 103	.....

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

Antofagasta	82 84	.....
Argentine G.W. Ord.	86 88	.....
Bahia Blanca Gguar. 8%	80 82	.....
Brazil Railway Common	14 14½	.....
Buenos Ayres Gt. Sthn.	103½ 105½	.....
Buenos Ayres and Pacific	88 90	.....
Buenos Ayres and W.	87 89	.....
Canadian Pacific	190 191	+1
Central Argentine	83½ 85½	.....
Central Uruguay	76½ 78½	.....
Cordoba Central	55 57	.....
Do. 1st Pref.	65 67	.....
Do. 2nd Pref.	55 57	+ ½
Entre Rios	66½ 68½	– ½
Do. 6 p.c. Cum. Pref.	88½ 90½	.....
Grand Trunk Pac. Deb.	63 65	.....
Grand Trunk 4 p.c. Guar.	80 82	.....
Do. 4 p.c. Perp. Deb.	80 82	.....
Leopoldina	53½ 55½	.....
Mexican Rails	5½ 6½	.....
Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	16 18	.....
Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	8 10	.....
San Paulo Ord.	187 189	.....
United Havana	71 73	.....

OIL SHARES DULL.

Anglo-American	3¾ 3¾	– ⅛
Anglo-Ecuadorian	1⅞ 2	.....
Anglo-Egyptian "B"	1¼ 1⅜	.....
Anglo-Persian Ord.	4⅛ 4¾	– ⅛
Do. 8 p.c. 1st Pref.	26⅝ 27	– 0⅛
Do. 9 p.c. 2nd Pref.	27⅜ 28	– ⅛
Do. 5 p.c. Deb.	96½ 97½	.....
Asiatic Trinidad (5/- shares)	9⅜ 9⅞	+⅛
Attock	1⅝ 1¾	.....
British Borneo Pet. (10/-)	18⅛ 18¾	– 0⅛
British Burmah (£-)	9⅛ 10⅛	.....
British Controlled	6 16½ 7 1½	.....
Do. Pref.	14 16 14 9	+ 0⅛
Burmah	5⅞ 5⅞	.....
Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	26 3	26 9	.....
Caltex	2 4½	2 7½	.....
Eagle Transport Pref.	5 6	6	.....
Do. 7 p.c. Notes	101	103	.....
Do. Bearer	102	103	.....
Kern River (10/-)	11 6	11 6	.....
Lobitos (no par value)	4 17 32	5 1 32	+ 1 32
Lobitos	5 32	5 5 16	+ 1 32
Mexican Eagle	16 0	16 6	.....
Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	16 0	16 6	.....
Do. 7 p.c. 1st Pref.	16 7 16	17 1 16	+ ⅛
North Caucasian (10/-)	2 3	2 6	.....
Omnium	6 6	7 0	.....
Orconche (4/- sh. f.p.)	0 0	0 0	.....
Phoenix	1 7½	2 2	– 0 1 16
Premier Oil	22 7 16	22 7 16	– 0 1 16
Royal Dutch	31¼	31½	.....
Shell Transport	4¾	4¾	.....
Do. 5 p.c. Pref. (£10)	9¼	9¾	.....
Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	25 16 16	26 1 16	+ 0 1 16
Spies (2/-)	1 15 16	1 16 1 16	+ 0 1 16
Steaua Romana	12 6	13 0	– 0 1 16
Tankers Pref.	10 5	11 0	.....
Trinidad Central	9 0	10 0	.....
Trinidad Leaseholds	2½	2¾	.....
United Bell Trinidad	9 4 16	9 7 16	– 0 1 16
Ural Caspian	1 3	2 0	.....
V.O.C. Holdings	3 32	3 3 32	– 1 32
Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	3 1 16	3 1 16	– 1 16

RUBBERS.

M.U.—May 23.

Amal. Rubber Est.	3/3	+0 1 32
Anglo-Dutch	45/0	.....
Anglo-Java	7/6*	+0/3
Anglo-Malay	33/9†	.....
Bertam Cons.	7/9	+0/3
Bukit Mertajam	5 7 32	.....
Bukit Sembawang	3/0*	.....
Buntar	24/0	.....
Damansara	24 41 32*	.....
Grand Central	42/6*	+0/9
Highlands	48/0	.....
Java Para	80/0	.....
Jugra Land	26/0*	.....
Kamuning	4/0	–0 1 32
Kapar Para	63/9	.....
Kepong	10/0	.....
Kuala Lumpur	57/6*	.....
Kuala Muda	49 10 32	+0 7 32
Labu	48/9	.....
Laras	5/3	.....
Linggi	31 41 32†	.....
London Asiatic	5 10 32	.....
Malacca	67/6†	.....
Malayalam	40/3	+0/6
Merliman	19/6	+0 1 32
Moorpark Valley	37/6	.....
Rubber Estate of Krian	3/6†	.....
Rubber Trust	42 3†	+0/6
Seafield (New)	44 41 32*	.....
Sendayan	4/6	.....
Sialang	57/6†	.....
Straits Rubber	25 7 32*	.....
Sumatra Para	5 10 32*	.....
Tall Azer	33/9	.....
Tandjong	64 41 32†	+0 7 32
Tandjong Malim	40 7 32	+0 7 32
United Sua Betong	7/0	+0 7 32
Vallambrosa	20/9	+0/3

MISCELLANEOUS INDUSTRIALS.

Abeco	60/0	.....
Allagar	3 10 32*	.....
Allied Sum	22/6†	+0/6
Ampat	7/6	+0 1 32
Anglo-Sum	85/0*	.....
Asahan	15/9	.....
Bah Lias	51/3	.....
Baru (Java)	62/6	.....
Batang	3 11 32	.....
Batu Tiga	38/9	.....
Bernam Pk'k.	41/3*	.....
B.N.B.R. Tst.	17/9	.....
Broome Sd.	23/0	.....
Bukit Cloh	7/6*	.....
Bukit Kajang	47/6	.....
Bukit Kajah	40/0	.....
Castlefield	9 7 32	.....
Centl. Johore	1 1 32	.....
Ceylp Timb'r	6 4 32	.....
Cheroenese	3/0	+0 1 32
Cheviot	5 0 4	.....
Cicely	8/0	.....
Craigielea	2/3*	.....
Dennistown	2 3 4	.....
Diamor	26/0	.....
East Asiatic	4 1 32	.....
Eastern Sum	2/9	–0 1 32
Eastern Trst.	45 7 32	.....
F.M.S. Plant.	68 9†	–1/3
Gadjah	8/3	.....
Gen. Ceylon	51/3	.....
Glenbervie	51/3	.....
Glenalbel	22/6*	.....
Golconda	45/0*	.....
Golden Hope	43/9	.....
Hongk'ng Sel	65/0	.....
Java Amber Co.	50/0†	.....
Johore River	1 0 32	.....
Kali Java	4 1 32	.....
Kasintoe	33/9*	.....
Kepitigalla	10 3 4	.....
Kombok	4/3*	.....
Kuala Sel.	7 16 32	.....
Langkat Sum	31 3 4	.....

SHIPPING.

16/0 Cairn Line	19/6	20/6	.....
— Court. Line	4/0 1 16	4/3	.....
— Cunard Ord.	26/0	27/0	–0/6
18/3 Elder-Dempster 6 p.c. Pf.	17/6	18/6	.....
— Furness Withy	37/6	38/6	.....
— P. and O. Def.	290	300	–5
— Royal Mail Ord.	82	84	.....

TEAS

Amal. Estates	4 4 4	+1	.....
Assam Co.	4 3 9	+0 1 16	.....
Assam Docars	4 3 4	.....	.....
Assam Front'r	27/6	–0/6	.....
Bor'want'khwa	2 3 11 32	.....	.....
Borelli	3 4 1 2	–1/3	.....
Brahmaputra	37	–1	.....
Brit. Indian	65 0	+1/3	.....
Budla Beta	3 1 32	+1 32	.....
Ceylon Plant.	61 32	.....	.....
Ceylon Tea	53 11 32	.....	.....
Chargola	23 9	+1/0	.....
Chubwa	91 10 4	+0 7 32	.....
Chulsa	89 0	+1 16 32	.....
Cons. Tea & L.	34/6	.....	.....
Darjeeling Co.	48/6	.....	.....
Do. Consol.	64 41 32	.....	.....
Deundi	24/6	.....	.....
Dima	4 7 32	.....	.....
Dimbula Val.	71 3 4	.....	.....
Dooars	84 0	–0/9	.....
Doom Dooma	88/3	.....	.....
E. Assam	74 0	.....	.....
Eaas Produce	40 32*	.....	.....
Empire	54 41 32	.....	.....

Galaha Ceylon	57 0	.....	.....
Imperial	47 0	+1 0	.....
Imperial Valley	51 6	+1 6	.....
Jhanzie	36 41 32	.....	.....
Jokai	91 7 32	.....	.....
Kanan Devan	84 41 32	+1	.....
Lanka	48 6*	.....	.....
Lebong	76 3	.....	.....
Lungla	25 6	.....	.....
Makum	40 3	.....	.....
Mosbund	53 9	.....	.....
Nedeem	49 7 32	.....	.....
New Assam	51 6	.....	.....
Nuwara Eliya	37 6	.....	.....
Ouvah	85 0*	.....	.....
Peacock & Nil.	4 3	.....	.....
Pabbojan	140 4	.....	.....
Pundaloya	85 0	.....	.....
Rosehaugh	45 0	.....	.....
Scottish Assam	35 9	.....	.....
Scot. T. & Ln.	53 9	.....	.....
Singlo	65 3	.....	.....
Travancore	39 41 32	–0/3	.....
Up. Assam	57 6	.....	.....

TEXTILES AND STORES.

4/10½	Amalgamated Cotton	4 7 32	5/1 32	.....
41/6	Bleachers	40/0	41/0	–0/3
47/6	Bradford Dyers	46/0	47/0	–1/0
14/0	British Celanese Ord.	14/0	14/6	.....
28/9	Calico Printers	28/0	27/0	–0/6
30/0	Coats	58/6	59/6	.....
6 15 16	Courtaulds	6 3 32	6 5 32	+1 32
50/6	English Sewing Cotton	45/6	50/6	–0/3
45/3	Fine Spinners	42/9	43/9	.....
13/6	Lancashire Cotton	12 3	12 6	.....
32/6	Harrods Stores	32/0	32/6	.....
14/0	Harrods (B.A.)	13/6	14/6	.....
—	Linen Thread Ord.	28/3	29/3	.....
—	Lister Ord.	21/3	22/3	+0/3
24/0	Nuera Silk	24/0	25/0	+0/3
17/9	Do. Def.	18/3	19/3	+0/6
—	Selfridge 6 p.c. Pref.	11 3	11 4*	.....

TELEGRAPHS.

24 1 2	Anglo-American Def.	24	24 1 2	+ 1 2
19/9	Marconi Wireless Ord.	19/0	20/0	.....
19 1 8	Do. Pref.	19 1 8	19 1

FREE STATE ELECTIONS.

THE ONLY WAY TO WIN THE NORTH.

SPEECHES BY MR. O'HIGGINS AND MR. HOGAN.

HOW THE PROBLEMS OF THE FUTURE CAN BE SOLVED.

The election campaign was continued in every constituency in the Free State yesterday. Canvassers were busy making house-to-house calls, and scores of meetings were held.

Mr. Kevin O'Higgins, Mr. P. J. Hogan and Mr. J. J. Walsh were the chief spokesmen for Cuman na nGaedheal. Mr. O'Higgins and Mr. Hogan both declared that the one way to win the North was to reduce taxation and make the Free State a model State.

GOVERNMENT PARTY.

TRUCE PERIOD HISTORY.

MR. O'HIGGINS'S REVELATIONS.

Before a large audience an address was delivered last night by Mr. Kevin O'Higgins, Free State Minister for Justice, in the Engineers' Hall, Dawson street, Dublin, under the auspices of the Central Branch of Cumann na nGaedheal.

Mr. M. P. Rowan, the chairman, said that the Central Branch of Cumann na nGaedheal was composed largely of the commercial and professional classes and had a membership of 200.

OLD LANDMARKS GOING.

Mr. O'Higgins said that in the last three or four years they had seen the obliteration of old political landmarks, and a tendency on the part of those who had stood apart in the past to face the new situation and take their place in the mosaic of the national life.

That was as it should be, and the process was more rapid than one might have expected.

The speaker then proceeded to trace the history of the political situation in Ireland from the general election of 1918, showing how constitutional agitation came to be abandoned in favour of physical force. Having dealt briefly with the events leading to the Truce,

"I think," said Mr. O'Higgins, "I am not exaggerating when I say that we were all intensely relieved when that Truce came. I certainly was, and the men with whom I was associated at the time certainly were."

Mr. O'Higgins read the correspondence which passed between Mr. Lloyd George at Gairloch and Mr. de Valera as the President of the Cabinet of Dail Eireann. In so far as it could be said that a Republic was in existence in Ireland—he would not venture to say how far that was—it was dissolved and disbanded, not in Downing street, not at the dictation of Mr. Lloyd George, but in the Mansion House in Dublin, by a unanimous Dail, which elected as President Mr. de Valera, who, at the private session on the previous day, said that he accepted the Republican formula or oath on the understanding that it left him quite free to do what he thought was the best for the country.

THE TWO OATHS.

Mr. O'Higgins said that he had never been able to appreciate any difference between the oath that Mr. de Valera dictated to the *plenipotentiaries* at the last Cabinet meeting *before* the Treaty was signed and the present Treaty oath. It would need to be a big difference to justify what happened in 1922 and 1923.

"The point that I want to make clear," he said, "is this: that the man who dictated that oath to his Cabinet—the man who expressed himself willing, in addition, to advocate to Dail Eireann the vote of a yearly sum to the King's Civil List, had not the right to go out subsequently and break the country on Arthur Griffith's head and on Michael Collins's head to the tune of the 'existing Republic.'"

There never was a more colossal fraud than that which Mr. de Valera had attempted to put across on the people.

Having a signed Treaty which secured the evacuation of the British military and the disbandment of the R.I.C., Mr. de Valera was attempting to do a scramble back on to the rock of the Republic, and ordinary simple people throughout the country were asked to believe that, in fact, he never departed from it. Young men, unschooled in constitutional niceties or political subtleties, were being told that, because they had taken an oath to the Republic from some company captain behind a hedge, they were bound in honour, duty and discipline to go out and cut their country's throat to the tune of "maintaining the existing Republic"—and told that by a man who, when the question of the oath taken in pre-truce days came up, said that it was never regarded by him as more than a simple promise to the people to do the best that he could for them, and that if he thought for a moment that it bound him to any particular form of settlement, he never would have taken it.

BEHIND THE SCENES.

The young Volunteers throughout the country who ran amok at the dictation of Mr. de Valera in 1922 were not aware of what had gone on behind the scenes, and that Mr. de Valera was the first man in Dail Eireann to advocate the necessity of compromise.

"I," continued the Minister, "decided to tell this story for the vindication of the memory of two of the greatest men I have ever known, or ever hope to know. I doubt if the public life of any country examined and analysed in detail could show as base a treachery to two loyal colleagues as the treachery of de Valera to Michael Collins and Arthur Griffith. It was a Dago trick to send those men on that mission after talking as he talked in the private session of Dail Eireann, to have got Collins on the argument that the British would not make their best offer in his absence, and then to give them the stiletto between the shoulder blades when they came here with their Treaty."

THE REMOVAL OF PARTITION.

People were talking about the political division of the country, but it was better instead of wrangling between themselves as to where responsibility for partition lay, to consider how best, and most expeditiously, it could be eliminated. He saw no other way of doing so than by way of hard work, development, and construction, and the establishment of conditions here that would be an attraction and an inducement to the people north of the boundary line, to form part and parcel of their political system.

There were two parties out for the denunciation of the Treaty, one being the second largest party in the State.

It had always puzzled him to find what was their policy with regard to the political problem in the North-East. It seemed to him that their ideal must be really a pariah, blackguard, outlaw Republic for the 26 counties with a hostile British Statelet on its northern frontier.

Was that, he asked, a worthy ideal to hold before the people? It seemed to him that the people should choose definitely and deliberately between unity and separation. If unity came it would come by agreement; but Anglophobia would not offer a basis for such unity.

FACING THE FACTS.

While it was wise to forget for three years the political problem in the North-East, the men who negotiated with the British Ministers had to remember it and recognise its existence, and he thought that they should be sufficiently grown up politically to realise that there was no longer anything to be gained by ignoring its existence.

Let them face the fact that there were close on one million people—one-fourth of the total population of the country—up there with different traditions, different outlook, and aspirations from the remainder of their fellow-countrymen. They had to make up their minds as between two ideals which he regarded as mutually irreconcilable—unity and separation. Were they going to make their future as an equal partner in the British Commonwealth, or were they going the road of denunciation of the Treaty along which Mr de Valera and Miss Mary MacSwiney beckoned them?

In addition to the two parties out for denunciation of the Treaty, there were innumerable parties nibbling at the pro-Treaty strength, and if the strength behind the Treaty was sufficiently dissipated amongst all these little rival groups, then there would arise after the general election a very serious situation for this country and its people.

BREAD AND BUTTER PROBLEMS.

In proposing a vote of thanks to Mr. O'Higgins, Mr. Fonso J. Carton said that the only thing that would cause an anti-Treaty victory would be apathy.

Mr. H. M Dockrell, in seconding, said that it was time that the country was settling down to bread and butter problems.

MINISTER OPTIMISTIC.

In replying to the vote of thanks, Mr. O'Higgins said—"I am very optimistic, indeed, about the future."

He quoted an article in the banking section of the *Statist*, which gave an interesting comparison between the Irish banking figures for 1913 and 1926. In the interval the money on deposit and current accounts in all the Irish banks rose from £71,040,000 to £180,688,000; but last year as compared with the preceding year there was a decrease of £6,000,000. Allowing for the decline in the purchasing power of money, it shows that the real value of the deposits in 1926 was £121,900,000, as against £71,040,000 in 1913, or 71.6 per cent. above the pre-war level.

The *Statist* added—and this, said Mr O'Higgins, is what I particularly want to draw your attention to—"This expansion is very much larger proportionately than the corresponding movements in banking deposits in England and Scotland, which are 49.5 per cent. and 27.5 per cent. respectively."

NO GROUNDS FOR ANXIETY.

Now, those figures were remarkable figures, very remarkable figures, indeed, entitled to a very much more public attention and discussion than they had received, and one would look to a time when that money—that large sum locked up in the banks in deposit and current account—would be set breeding wealth and productivity for the country and its people.

If people agreed that what was needed was confidence, stability, that condition which bred initiative and enterprise, it lay in the people's own hands to secure that state. He wondered if the individual elector up and down through the country had sufficient sense of his individual responsibility in that matter.

"I do not see any grounds for anxiety, any grounds for pessimism, with regard to the future of this country," concluded Mr. O'Higgins, "provided that the people realise that a dissipation of the strength that is behind the Treaty in the country into small parties and groups and sectional interests in the road to danger. (Applause.)

STRAIGHT TALK.

MINISTER FOR LANDS AND A HECKLER.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

DUBLIN, Tuesday.

Mr. P. Hogan, Minister for Lands and Agriculture, spoke in Mountbellew to-day. He was asked by Mr. J Haverty if, assuming that the British were entitled to the land annuities, should payment not be sanctioned by the Dail? His answer was that the annuities were never handed over to the British Government; they were handed over to the people, who lent £130,000,000 for land purchase in Ireland.

Are you still in favour of keping the Republicans out of the Dail if they are prepared to go in with the oath removed, was another question.

Mr. Hogan—Your question comes to this: am I in favour of having the oath out of the Treaty? I am not. And why? Because I do not want to go back to the position of 1921. I stand for every clause in the Treaty, including the oath. The Treaty was the best settlement Michael Collins and Arthur Griffith could make for the Irish people, and that Treaty is good enough for you and me. With great respect to everyone, including Mr. Haverty, I believe the two great men mentioned got the best settlement that could be got, and we are not going to reopen the terms of that settlement on the gambler's chance that we could get a better one.

We have got partition. I will make that admission. But that was an accomplished fact before ever Griffith and Collins went to London. I do not stand for an invasion of the North and a war with the North. I do not think that we can afford it. I think that we can bring in the North one way, and one way only—by having lower taxation and better services. The day we have a two-shilling income tax, the day we can reduce taxes on beer and spirits and other taxes below that for the North, these men of the North will come to business with us, but not till then.

FAIR PLAY.

I have not yet heard what policy Mr. de Valera or Captain Redmind has for bringing in the North. We have put ours before you, but we have not heard theirs. We propose to build up a decent civilisation wherein every man, Protestant or Catholic, will get fair play. (Cheers.) There are people, like Alexander of old, looking for new worlds to conquer. We are out to run the twenty-six counties well, and the important question is to show the world that we can do it. Where are the British?

"They are in Enniskillen," said Mr. Haverty.

"I am talking of the twenty-six counties," retored the Minister. "Can the English Government interfere with any law we pass?"

Mr. Haverty —Did not the Pricy Council upset your High Court decision?

Mr. Hogan—You are just too clever by half. That is a quibble. It was agreed that international questions arising out of the Treaty should go to the Privy Council, and that was an international question as to the pensions of retired British Civil Servants. The British Government has no more right to interfere in the legislation of this country than it has to interfere in the legislation of the French Parliament. I believe in fighting for a result—for sane things. You will not show me what we want that we have not got. Mr. Haverty knows well that the day before the Treaty was signed de Valera dictated the oath to Arthur Griffith, and Barton admitted it subsequently in the debate in the Dail. De Valera had also agreed to a yearly tribute to the British King. These two facts are undeniable. De Valera had never denied, and could not deny them, and if this civil war, with all its costs in money, blood and demoralisation was fought on that account, it was the most criminal civil war that was ever perpetrated.

I say that the man responsible—and that man is de Valera—was responsible for the most demoralising experiment this country has ever had.

Voices—He should be hanged.

SETTLED ON JUNE 9.

Mr. Hogan said that the country would settle that issue once and for all at this election by wiping out de Valera and the Sinn Fein Party, and by putting in a strong Government, and that at the end of three more years the foundation of the State would be absolutely secure, and nothing could uproot it. (Cheers.)

Mr. Haverty—In other words, we have not freedom to go beyond the Treaty.

Mr. Hogan—Where do you want to go?

Mr. Haverty—We want the North. We do not want two Governments.

Mr. Hogan said that the people of every country in Europe had had enough of war, and now wanted to settle down and earn an honest penny. "On the 9th of June," he said, "your time comes. Your responsibility is to put in a Government to control the country's welfare for the next five years. Nobody could make a success of the country without the co-operation of the people."

MIDNIGHT MEETING.

PRESIDENT COSGRAVE'S TOUR

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

KILKENNY, Tuesday.

Late evening meetings—and many of them—are likely to be a feature of the campaign which President Cosgrave opened in support of his own candidature and of Messrs. Gorey and Nolan at Kilkenny on Sunday. It was nearly midnight when they concluded a tour of the northern part of this county with a lively meeting at Urlingford last night. It was about 11 o'clock when the President rose to speak there, and during his speech he was frequently heckled.

When an interrupter complained about the poor prices for barley the President replied: "I cannot ensure big prices for any commodity, but the Government has provided measures for lessening the cost of production and improving the quality of agricultural produce."

Few Governments starting out, he said, had had the same obstacles and difficulties to surmount as his Government had had. "We leave this country much more peaceful and with much greater opportunities for advancement and prosperity than it ever had. If relieved of the responsibility of government, we can at least help those who succeed us, but if the responsibility is to be ours I say: Give us a sufficient majority to enable us to continue the work."

CHEERS AND GROANS.

The appearance of Mr. Gorey, who followed, was greeted with cheers and groans. "I don't know what the boohing is about," commented Mr. Gorey. "I think we are engaged on a very serious proposition. The people have the responsibility of deciding what the Government of this country is going to be for the next five years, all this jeering and boohing is lost on me. I don't care a damn about it. My proposal that we farmers should fuse with the Government had the unanimous support of the Executive of the Kilkenny Farmers' Union.

A Voice—It had not.

"You're a damn liar," retorted Mr. Gorey.

"The only regret I have," he added, "is that the best men in the Farmers' Party—some of the best men I have ever known—did not follow me."

There were further interruptions at this stage, and a voice was heard to ask where Mr. Gorey was in 1922.

"I was here in 1922," he returned, amidst cheers, "and there was damn little fight in you."

"But you had the eighteen-pounder gun," said the same voice.

"Yes," shouted Mr. Gorey, "and that was the best medicine you ever got. It taught you fellows a lesson. Now you have no free meals, and no easy money taken from the banks, you find yourselves compelled to live according to law and order, and for the future you will have to pay your way like honest men."

The meeting concluded amidst cheers for de Valera and President Cosgrave.

IRISH COAL.

At an earlier meeting at Castlecomer, replying to a question as to why the Government Departments did not burn Castlecomer coal, the President said that the desire in all Government Departments was to purchase goods produced in the country. "We have," he declared, "always been prepared to pay a considerably higher percentage price for home produced as against foreign articles."

Mr. Gorey, at that same meeting, relating the reasons which had led him to join the Government Party, said that the Government was remarkable for two things—firmness and justice. Justice was only an ideal, he declared, if not backed by firmness, and firmness was a crime if not based on justice.

"We want a firm, sensible Government," added Mr. Gorey, "if this country is going to live."

Speaking at Ballyragget, the President said that the Government did not object to criticism, but did object to people posturing as leaders of parties when they voted only in 16 out of 89 divisions in the Dail in one year. Such a man was Captain Redmond, whose place to criticise was in the Dail and not outside like a crying child.

Mr. Gorey, in asking that the Government should be returned with a strong majority, declared that a coalition was not possible because, owing to party and personal antagonism, a coalition made to-night would be dissolved by morning.

Speaking at Johnstown, the President, referring to the repayment of the Dail Loan next month, announced that if his Government were returned it would appoint a commission to enquire into the claims of people who had no receipts to substantiate their applications for repayment.

THE DOMINANT FACTOR.

MR. J. J. WALSH AND INCREASED PRODUCTION.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

CORK, Tuesday.

Meetings in support of the Cumann na nGaedheal candidates were held at Denroche's Cross and Capwell, Cork City, to-night.

The Minister for Posts, Mr. J. J. Walsh, who was well received, said that the dominant question at this stage in the nation's affairs was heavy concentration on production in field and factory. In no other way could unemployment be decreased, emigration terminated, or homes made happy. The appearance of Cork City had undergone a transformation not only in its thoroughfares, but also in its public buildings, which was little short of a revelation to those who knew it in pre-war days. In appearance it was now a city that Corkmen had every reason to be proud of. They had also tackled the housing problem on a scale never before attempted. Between the ex-soldiers' scheme and that of the Commissioner 300 were now completed, and the Commissioner had plans prepared and ground secured for 200 more. All that they required now was the maintenance of that degree of public confidence which was recently in evidence, where those in possession of that vital factor—money—would see their way clear from the standpoint of national security to continue that useful work.

Stability in politics, with its consequent security to the investor, was an equally determining factor in the opening of industries. The big struggle before them was to make doubly sure that in investing his money here the investor got the same square deal that the foreigner was in a position to accord him. To suggest that unemployment was going to be removed by any other means was merely misleading the people. The firm that can add three or four hundred employés to its pay roll was of more solid value to the working people, the shopkeeper, the wholesaler, or the carying company, than all the speeches made in the present election put together.

THE OPTIMISTIC SPIRIT.

He was glad to observe a spirit of optimism creeping into the business community. Encouragement of this spirit, the feeling that they had risen supreme over difficulties sufficiently formidable to break the spirit of other and less determined people, the feeling that they must, and will, succeed, was a most hopeful augury. Let them not lose sight of the fact that real prosperity will only come when the plums of industry, now being helplessly handed over to the foreigner, were distributed to the family of our working man.

The Government with a sufficient majority over all other parties could alone carry out an economic programme which would produce that result. He, therefore, appealed to the electors, in their own interests, to see to it that his colleagues and himself were returned to the Dail to carry out the work already in the making.

PEACE AND PROGRESS.

Mr. Barry Egan said that they stood for peace, security, and progress. The Government had already brought about peace and security and had started on a campaign of progress. He appealed to the electors to vote in overwhelming numbers, and help to see that Cork shall not be overlooked in the development programme arranged by the Government to assist industry, by protection to absorb the unemployed and the growing youth of the country, to relieve the slum areas by housing schemes, to create power by the Shannon Scheme, and to develop their greatest industry, agriculture, to improve arterial drainage, and carry out the work of reafforestation.

ONLY TWO PARTIES.

DANGER TO THE CONSTITUTION.

Speaking at a Cumann na nGaedheal meeting at Mullagh, County Cavan, Mr. T. P. McKenna said that the present Government were young and inexperienced when they took office five years ago, but they had achieved great things since then. They had brought the country out of chaos, restored law and order, and placed the country on the road to progress and stability.

Dr. J. J. O'Reilly, the candidate, said that there were really only two parties in the election—the Government party and Fianna Fail. If Fianna Fail were elected and placed in a position to upset or abolish the Constitution, the country would be in danger of going back to the state of chaos it was in before the Treaty.

Mr. McKenna said that the duty on tea had been abolished by the Government, and that fact should be an inducement to the women voters to cast their votes for Dr. O'Reilly.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

NO INCOME TAX.

ONE WAY TO CONQUER THE BOUNDARY.

Addressing a meeting at Ballytrain, Co. Monaghan, Mr. J. MacVeagh, National League candidate, said that there was plenty of mud-slinging in the present campaign, but he was not going to say a hard word about anyone. He was in Irish politics before Mr. Blythe or Mr. O'Higgins, and he hoped to be doing something for Ireland when their names were forgotten. His experience of twenty years in the English House of Commons would be of service in the Dail. For over twenty years he kept the cause of Ireland prominently before the English House of Commons, and never had agreed to the partition of Ireland.

They all remembered that the Buckingham Palace Conference was broken up because Mr. Redmond and Mr. Dillon would not agree to the temporary exclusion of Tyrone and Fermanagh. He stood for stable and ordered government. They were told by the Government Party that, unless the present Government were elected, the country would go to the dogs. If elected he would uphold ordered government as well as Mr. Blythe or Mr. Duffy.

Mr. Peter Hughes, the Minister for Defence, stated recently that he (Mr. MacVeagh) was more interested in promoting companies than in working for Ireland. He would admit that he did promote companies which gave a good deal of employment, and he was proud of it.

If elected, he would do all in his power to secure a reduction of the income tax, or to abolish it altogether. If there was no income tax in the Free State, there would be no boundary. He was also in favour of restoring the shilling to the old age pensions and of making cottage tenants the owners of their homes and allotments.

Mr. T. Mohan said that a change of Government was badly needed. There would be unnecessary expense so long as there were two Governments maintained in a small country like Ireland. Men like Mr. MacVeagh would undo the harm done by the present Government. They had to pay too many officials.

Mr. James Shevlin said that, if the present Government got in for another five years, they might all leave the country.

POLITICAL TRICKSTERS.

MR. S. DILLON ATTACKS THE GOVERNMENT.

Speaking at a Letterkenny meeting in support of the National League candidates in Donegal, Mr. Seumas Dillon (son of Mr. John Dillon, ex-M.P.), said that he urged the people in their own interests to drive out the autocratic *régime* that had been misgoverning the country for the last five years, and to place in its stead a party led by Captain William Redmond. That party had not come into the field to indulge in nothing but destructive criticism; they had come to tear the veil off the hypocritical pretences of the Free State Government and to submit to the electors a programme that would provide the people with an alternative to what they presently had.

There was one thing for which they would have to give the Cumann na nGaedheal Party all the credit, and that was that they were the most accomplished political tricksters that had ever appeared in the country. Furthermore, he would venture to say that on the score of political propaganda the present Givernment had no rival in any country in the world. The first cry in that election was: "If you put out the present Government, the only alternative is chaos."

Captain Redmond and the National Party were not out for tearing down the Constitution, or bringing the country into war. Let the country place them in the position, and they would endeavour to undo the ill-work that had been done and complete any good work that the Free State Government might have started. (Hear, hear.)

The Shannon scheme, they were told, was going to cost the country £5,000,000. No one knew anything further in relation to this aspect of the scheme, as the responsible Minister had consistently refused to give any particulars of details about the scheme. When pressed to do so in the Dail, this Minister announced that he would not, and said he would make it a vote of no confidence in the Government if he were pressed on the matter. That was an extraordinary cute thing to do.

It appeared that the £5,000,000 was to be spent at Ardnacrusha, where the electricity was being made. The cost of putting up the wires to carry the electricity through the country would be approximately £2,300,000, and it would cost £9,300,000 if an opportunity were to be given to every citizen of the State to use electricity on his own farm and in his own house. These were the approximate figures as far as they could be computed from the meagre details that had been given.

Mr. O'Higgins had asked the people to return the Government on the record of the work they had done. What was that record? In 1913 the country was undivided; partition did not exist; there was prosperity; emigration was at the very lowest ebb; the young men and women of the country could find a home at home. Let them look at the country now. In the memory of anyone in that hall had the country ever been more miserable? Had the farmers ever less stock or less money, or had business men ever done business under such difficult conditions? And was it not a fault that six counties had been delivered over to an Orange Parliament?

By virtue of the financial settlement under the Treaty they were told that anything between £5,000,000 and £100,000,000 were to be paid by England to the Free State, but now it transpired that instead of this the Free State owed England £10,000,000. He could not see how any Government could have the effrontery to come forward, and ask the people for their continued support on that record.

BALLYBOUGH MEETING.

THE DIVIDED IRELAND.

Mr. Coghlan Briscoe, one of the candidates for North Dublin City, addressed a meeting of very large proportions, at which Mr. W. J. Walsh presided, last night. Earlier in the evening a meeting in support of the Government candidates was held on the other side of the Tolka, and when it dispersed the greater portion of the people increased the size of the National League meeting.

Mr. Briscoe dealt with the issues before the country in this election, and said that many of the incidents that evening and the enthusiasm of the people reminded him of the good old days when all Irishmen were united in fighting for the cause of Ireland a nation. He stood, and the party that he was supporting stood, for an effort to bring the people back to the old flag of a united Ireland. It could not be stated too often that an Ireland divided, as she was to-day by an artificial barrier, the result of a bargain between the present Government and the Government in London, meant that the country would continue to be poverty-stricken, with men willing to work unemployed, and women and children, as he had found them during his canvass, in actual want of bread. That evening the Government Party had commenced a series of public meetings, and he hoped that when they arrived on Wednesday evening in Gloucester Diamond they would realise that something was wanting and wrong in a State where a Government could allow people to live in such depressing surrouadings.

There was no use in retiring deputies raising the solgan: "On with the work," unless this slogan meant work for the people. Everyone knew that it did not, and it was an appeal to support and perpetuate the present extravagant policy of the Government. The sum total of the speeches made up and down the country by retiring Ministers was, to put it in plain English, "Return us to power and—live donkeys and you'll get grass" No one could say that this country was prosperous. Depression reigned almost everywhere, and, unless something was done, emigration would increase and the youth of Ireland would go away for ever. It had not been published yet—and probably will be withheld until after the General Election—but he was informed that the adverse trade balance, when published, would be over £19,000,000, and this, if true, would constitute a record—even in the "Rake's Progress" of the present Government. (Cheers.)

Mr. Gerald Tench, solicitor, said that he was glad to come there to support his old friend, Coghlan Briscoe, who had done so much for the people, and, from the enthusiasm, it looked that the people appreciated, and that he would be returned with the other candidates of the National League..

FIANNA FAIL.

TREATY NEGOTIATIONS.

WHY MR. DE VALERA STAYED AT HOME.

While addressing a meeting at Castlebar in the interests of Fianna Fail, Mr. de Valera was asked why he had not gone to London for the Treaty negotiations. He said that when the delegates were being selected a full discussion took place at a secret session of Dail Eireann as to whether he should be one of the delegation or not. After every aspect of the question had been discussed, one member proposed that the President should go. He got no seconder. That should be a sufficient answer to the question.

He was determined that Lloyd George should not succeed in his attempt to manœuvre him into the position of the late Mr. John Redmond, merely as the head of a political party, and he was not going to give away his position of President of the Irish Republic however Lloyd George tried to manœuvre. Therefore the natural thing to do was to send the Minister for Foreign Affairs as head of the delegation, and Mr. Griffith was chosen

If the negotiations broke down, and he (Mr. de Valera) was not a member of the delegation, there would always be the chance of a resumption; but if he were present the chances were that the breakdown would be complete. A large number of members of Dail Eireann were influenced in deciding that he should not go by the failure of President Wilson when he left America to negotiate in Paris. He was not influenced by that objection.

The Treaty was of such importance that every sentence would require a microscopic examination, and the best legal opinions should be brought to bear on it.

He had complete confidence in his colleagues of the delegation, and never dreamt that they would break their orders that the final draft should not be signed until it had been brought home and examined at a full Cabinet meeting of Dail Eireann. If he had had the slightest suspicion that such a thing would have happened, he certainly would have gone.

LABOUR PARTY.

UNEMPLOYMENT FIGURES

MR. JOHNSON ON THE PARTY'S FUTURE.

"The Labour Party had been a very mall handful hitherto in the Dail, but they were hopeful that in the future they would have a commanding influence," said Mr. Thomas Johnson, speaking last night at Newtown Park, Blackrock.

Mr. Johnson said that Messrs. O'Higgins and Fitzgerald, members of the Government, had made reference to the extent of unemployment. They had followed the lead of Mr. McGilligan, Minister for Industry and Commerce, who said that unemployment had decreased one-half, comparing the figures of 1923 with those of 1927.

"Who would believe that story?" asked Mr. Johnson. They were taking as evidence the figures of unemployment at the Labour Exchanges, which put the number of unemployed at 16,000 or 17,000 to-day, as compared with 30,000 or 40,000 in 1923.

Mr. Johnson said that this was an entirely false statement.

The figures of the unemployment exchanges were not the least evidence of the decrease of unemployment.

The Labour Party said that so long as men were not provided with employment, the unemployment insurance benefit should be continued.

Mr. Norton said that the Government had done very little in the way of beneficial social legislation for the working classes. The Government's whole record was a record in the interests of the rich, and against the interests of the poor. They had legislated in the interests of landlords and in the interests of people who lived on dividends. If the tragedy happened that the Government were returned to office during the next five years they would have a continuance of anti-working class legislation.

FARMERS' PARTY.

MAINSTAY OF THE COUNTRY.

FARMERS' CANDIDATE AND HIS PARTY.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

CORK, Tuesday.

At a meeting in support of the Farmers' candidates in North Cork, held at Coachford, to-day, there were interesting exchanges between Mr. D. Vaughan, T.D., one of the candidates, and an interrupter.

Mr. Vaughan declared that Mr. de Valera and Miss Mary McSwiney were in opposite camps and held different policies. We, farmers, he said, are the mainstay of the country, and we will see that there is stability, law and order. Why should the electors support those who would again burn houses and blow up bridges?

A Voice—You voted for the executions.

Mr. Vaughan—I regret executions; but if the peace and stability of the country depended on it seventy-six more would go. I also voted for the Flogging Bill; and if you were a looter or a robber I would give it to you.

An Interrupter—I never was a robber.

Mr. Vaughan—Have you your rent and rates paid? If you follow de Valera's policy you need not pay either; but we will make every man pay his debts.

Mr. D. P. Forde, another candidate, was well received. He said that the Farmers' Party stood for a progressive agricultural policy, stability, and law and order.

NATIONAL UNIVERSITY.

A meeting was held recently at No. 9 Harcourt street, Dublin, in support of the candidature of Miss Agnes O'Farrelly, M.A., Independent candidate for the National University.

A large number of letters were received from different parts of the country promising support, and various people present gave reports of their own activities. Representative people throughout the country—men and women graduates—wrote approving of Miss O'Farrelly's programme, educational and otherwise, and promising every assistance.

Miss O'Farrelly's chance of being returned is regarded by the Committee as very promising.

PROFESSOR JOHN MCNEILL.

Professor John McNeill, who is standing as a candidate for the National University of Ireland at the Free State General Election, informs us that he is standing as a supporter of the Government, and is not to be regarded in any way as an "Independent."

ELECTION COURTESY.

A novel feature of the election campaign in Kilkenny occurred at Ballyragget yesterday the occasion being fair day. Mr. J. D. Gorey, Government candidate, and Major Arthur Kavanagh and Mr. R. Holohan, the Farmers' Union nominees, addressed meetings.

Speeches were delivered by the Farmers' Union candidates from Major Kavanagh's motor car, and, when they had finished, the Chairman (Mr. T. D. Shearman, Co.C.) introduced Mr. Gorey and the Cumann na nGaedheal organiser both of whom spoke from Major Kavanagh's motor.

Good feeling prevailed between all parties, and at the conclusion of the meeting the rival candidates were to be seen in friendly conversation.

ELECTION ITEMS.

Mr. Dermot Gun O'Mahony has been selected as the Government candidate for County Wicklow. His election address appears in our advertising columns.

THE LOST SHEEP DOG.

A reward of £25 is being offered for the prize sheep dog lost on board the Glasgow boat which was returning from the Spring Show. It is described as a small, barecoated Collie dog, black-and-white, with white strip on face, red eyebrows and cheeks, near foreleg white, off foreleg white below knee, white tip on tail.

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DUBLIN CIRCUIT COURT

DISHONEST AGENT.

PRINCIPAL'S APPEAL DISMISSED.

(BEFORE JUDGE DAVITT.)

Patrick E. Olin, house decorator and plumber, 49 Great Brunswick street, Dublin, appealed against a decree which was pronounced against him by the District Justice at the suit of Messrs. J. T. Maconchy and George T. Kelly, trading as Kelly and Company, 174a Great Brunswick street, for £11 3s. 1d., the price of goods sold and delivered.

Mr. Olin's case was that he had never given the plaintiff's firm an order for the goods nor authorised his agent to get them. He had no account with Messrs. Kelly. He had an assistant named Brennan, who in his (appellant's) absence used to order goods from different firms for his business. That man he dismissed for dishonesty.

John Cahill, a youth who was in Mr. Olin's employment as messenger, told the Court that he frequently conveyed orders made out by Brennan to different firms, and that in January, 1926, Brennan sent him to Kelly's for crystal sets and headphones, and told him to bring them to his (Brennan's) brother's place at Innisfallen Parade, which he did. Brennan waited outside Kelly's place while he was getting the goods. The witness did not then know that he was doing anything wrong.

Bernard McMullen, another employé of Mr. Olin's, stated that he had brought wireless goods from Kelly's to Brennan's brother's place at Brennan's orders.

The Judge held that Mr. Olin was responsible for the acts of his servant in this case, because he had given him authority to order goods from different firms, and if he had forbidden him to obtain goods on credit from Messrs. Kelly he had not informed them of that fact. He, therefore, dismissed the appeal and affirmed the order of the Court below, and allowed the respondents their costs.

MISSING BAGS OF FLOUR.

In the Dublin Criminal Court yesterday, Thomas Barrett pleaded not guilty to an indictment charging him with having stolen, on 7th March last, two bags of flour, the property of Messrs. Johnston, Mooney and O'Brien. On a second count he was charged with receiving the flour, knowing it to be stolen.

Mr. Carrigan, K.C. (instructed by the Chief State Solicitor), prosecuted, and the prisoner was represented by Mr. R. G. Leonard, K.C., and Mr. B. McGuckin (instructed by Mr. Ernest E. Merrick, LL.D.).

The prisoner was acquitted on the first charge, and the jury disagreed on the second.

IRISH NURSES' UNION.

DEMAND FOR BETTER CONDITIONS.

The annual council meeting of the Irish Nurses' Union was held yesterday in the offices of the Irish Women Workers' Union, 7 Eden quay, Dublin. Miss Guinane, vice-president, was in the chair.

There was a discussion on the bad conditions of service in the county hospitals and fever hospitals, and the long hours required of nurses under the Local Government Ministry, which imposes a day of 14 hours, with two hours off and frequently no whole, or even half, day off duty at all. In many hospitals the night nurse is on duty alone, having no definite time for meals, which she must take in the intervals of attending to patients. It was agreed to claim standard salaries, allowances and working conditions for all nurses in the public service.

With regard to housing, it was pointed out that as many district midwives are compelled to live in one room in a labourer's cottage, with no proper accommodation for heating, washing, and cooking, it is often quite impossible for them to carry out the regulations laid down by the Central Midwives' Board. A resolution was passed, requesting the Minister for Local Government to empower local authorities to build or acquire a dwelling for the district midwife in each district where none is now available.

BRITISH EMPIRE SHAKESPEARE SOCIETY.

Members of the British Empire Shakespeare Society gave creditable performances in the Molesworth Hall, Molesworth street, Dublin, last night, of scenes from "Twelfth Night," "Othello," and "Hamlet." Among those who took part were Mr. Frank Fay, Dr. J. D. A. Johnson, Mr. Cecil Darley, and the Misses Orr, McGrenahan, and D. Simpson.

THE LICENSING OF SHOPS.

In a letter on the licensing of shops, Mr. Charles W. Murphy, President of the Irish Retail Confectioners' and Allied Trades' Association, Dublin, says that in no trade in recent times has the number of people engaged in retailing increased as in the confectionery trade. Where before the war there were three shops there are now a dozen. It is not that the population has increased, he says, or that the taste for sweets has increased, but that the business has the reputation of being an easy one to start, and that small capital is required.

He also refers to the growing practice of large drapery and drug stores setting up sweet counters, and suggests that any scheme of licensing to be effective must apply to this class.

GOSSIP FROM THE COURSE.

FRENCH INTERESTS IN THE DERBY.

DOCH-AN-DORIS WINS EASILY.

FAILURE OF DUMAS.

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

LEWES, Tuesday Night.

It appears now as if the French Derby candidate, M. Martinez de Hoz's Mon Talisman, will not, after all, be started at Epsom. So France may not be represented to-morrow week unless M. Boussac should run Start II., who came to Newmarket before the race for the Two Thousand Guineas, which he missed. There is, indeed, very little fresh news to give interest to the coming Derby, the last forfeit for which had to be declared to-night.

The market is very listless, and not much money has gone on any candidate so far. Outside the colts who filled the first four places in the Two Thousand Guineas nothing is attracting much interest. The gallop between Lone Knight and Vanoc to-morrow may infuse some little interest into things. It is being assumed that Lone Knight will prove the better of the pair, for he stands at about half the price of his stable companion.

Again the racing here this afternoon was only mildly interesting. The opening race, a two-year-old event, was as easily won as the corresponding event was by Tempting yesterday. Odds in this case were laid on Mr. Lascelles Wilson's Doch-an-Doris, and, jumping off in front, she made all the running, and won by five lengths from Northward without ever being headed. Walter Nightingall, who has been so conspicuously successful since he took over the Epsom stable on the death of his father last year, won the Juvenile Selling Plate with the Papa Sound filly, who scored by three lengths from the Louisa Dale filly. The favourite, Lido Light, lost her place early in the race, and never could improve much afterwards.

They were a moderate lot in the Castle Selling Plate, which the favourite, Inverveigh, lost to old Ballyrag by half a length. Then came a race for amateur riders, the Southdown Open Welter, which Major Harry Misa, an officer in the Bays, won easily on Black Sheep, the odd-on chance, Dumas, with Mr. Harry Brown up, being a complete failure.

BLACK SHEEP'S SUCCESS.

When Lord Astor sold Black Sheep to Lord Woolavington it was expected that he would prove himself a smashing hurdler, but he never took to the game, and his owner sold him in disgust last year. He scored very easily here by eight lengths from Padova, an Irish-bred filly, who had been left some twenty lengths at the post.

Hacket's little stable, at Telscombe, won the Lewes Spring Handicap with the infirm Craignure, a well-backed candidate, who beat Nydia and Gay Richard. Toon, who has been so unlucky with his horses this season, won the Uckfield Mid-Weight Handicap with Zahrat, who was disqualified earlier in the season after he had won a handicap at Pontefract.

To-morrow's racing is at Brighton and Beverley. Brighton is a favourite course for CLONESPOE, for whom the ground can never be too hard. All the conditions are in his favour, and I expect to see him win the Balcombe Stakes, with most danger likely to come from Monetize. BAY FRIAR let his supporters down badly at York, but this course may suit him better, and he should win the Southover Plate. The best of the two-year-olds in the Shoreham Maiden Plate may be MALBROUCK.

In the Beverley Handicap Plate at the Yorkshire meeting I like best the chance of BONNIE KELSO, while SIX WHEELER should win the Bishop Burton Stakes.

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3. 0—Balderston.
3.30—Monetize.
4. 0—Malbrouck.
4.30—King's Oven.

BEVERLEY.

2.15—Good Tidings.
2.45—Too Eager.
3.15—Bonnie Kelso.
3.45—Pursue.
4.15—Brave Baby.
4.45—King Falloch.

Eclipse.

SPECIAL SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

Westminster Gazette :—To-day's best—Bay Friar. Double—Bay Friar and Clonespoe.

Daily Express :—Safety Bet — Severn Tunnel (win). Double — Clonespoe and Severn Tunnel.

Daily Mirror :—Double — Good Tidings and Castalian colt (nap).

Daily Sketch :—Double—Cornbin and Bay Friar.

LONDON BETTING—YESTERDAY.

There was a fair amount of wagering in the principal London offices yesterday, the front rank candidates remaining at their previous rates, with the exception of Hot Night, who receded to 10 to 1. Lone Knight hardened to 100 to 6. Hossan, who was cagerly laid against on Monday at 40 to 1, found favour yesterday at this price, leaving 33 to 1 the top tender. Details :—

THE DERBY.

Run Wednesday, June 1. One mile and a half. 9 to 2 Sickle, taken and offered .....F. Butters.
5 to 1 Call Boy, taken and offered .....Watts.
7 to 1 Adam's Apple, taken and offered..Cottrill.
10 to 1 Hot Night—taken and offered...Crawford.
100 to 7 Money Maker, taken and offered..Dodds.
100 to 6 Lone Knight, taken and offered...F. Scott.
25 to 1 Bonny Boy II., taken and offered...Gilpin.
25 to 1 Shian Mor, taken and offered.....R. Jarvis.
33 to 1 Hossan, offered (40 to 1 t).....R. Dawson.

LIMERICK JUNCTION.

BRIGHT RACING.

ANNAN DALE MAKES AMENDS.

The opening day's racing at the Limerick Junction synchronised with the arrival of the first genuine summer weather of the season. It was a scorching afternoon, with but a light wind to temper the sun's hot rays, and the change from the harsh weather experienced up to this was very acceptable to everyone. As was promised by the excellent programme which had been staged, the racing was up to an excellent standard, and its variety lent additional attractiveness. The inclusion of a Foxhunters' Plate, endowed with a stake of 250 sovs., showed enterprise on the part of the Executive, and, as was the case with a similar class of race at the recent Mallow Meeting, it was well patronised by owners. Annan Dale, who was somewhat unluckily beaten by Kilnagross at Mallow, now went one better, but was hard put to it to beat Lady Lucienne, who filled third place in the Mallow race.

Erin Green, who has usually shown her best form when the going is soft, was backed with much confidence to beat the seven horses opposing her for the Sologhead Hurdle Race, and up to the last hurdle it looked as if she would land the spoils. Just at this stage Pearleen, who had been lying last in the early part of the race, came upon the scene, and, heading Erin Green, went on to win in easy style from Ballycarron Lass, who also headed Erin Green close home. Pearleen belongs to the West of Ireland sportsman, Mr. H. J. Tully, one of the thick-and-thin supporters of racing, and was ridden in capable style by an amateur rider, Major R. H. Scott.

With four of the five runners for the five furlongs' handicap almost sharing favouritism, it was evident that the race was a very open affair. As things turned out, however, Swift Bird had the measure of the others all through the race and he won in easy style. M. Collins, the Mallow trainer, then proceeded to bring off the double event with King Eagle, Mr. Bryan O'Donnell's full brother to King Bird, who won the Ballykisteen Plate. In this instance, however, it was no easy race, and those who laid odds on King Eagle had some anxious moments, for both Blue Look Out and Ronald's Pride fought out a great finish, and the fact that King Eagle held the best position when the straight was reached helped considerably towards the success of the son of Roi Hero.

Pactolus had run so well behind Newsboy at Dundalk that this chance of winning the Dublin Steeplechase was highly esteemed, but in another splendid finish, in which four horses were concerned, he was beaten by Gay Cavalier, who, prior to the race, was sold to Mr. J. H. Purdon. Peggy II. and Music were the other two who joined in a great struggle from the last fence to the winning post, and the issue was in doubt up to the last few strides. Northern Linnet, giving a fine display of bold fencing, led all the way in the Railway Steeplechase, to win in easy style from Cotula.

2.45—THE SOLOGHEAD PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 3 sovs. A handicap hurdle race. 1¾ m.

Mr. H. J. Tully's b. m. PEARLEEN, by Morena —Bachelor's Pearl, a, 10-4 ..... Maj. R. H. Scott 1
Miss M. Feore's BALLYCARRON LASS, 6, 9-10 ..... J. Meaney 2
Mr. T. P. O'Neill's ERIN GREEN, 4, 11-4 ..... J. Moylan 3
Capt. Maher's Petit Beau, a, 10-7 ...J. Moloney 0
Mr. F. G. Lynch's Polly Alder, a, 10-6 P. Lynch 0
Mr. P. Whittle's Anchored, a, 10-3 ...N. Hayes 0
Mr. H. Millner's Royal Ambush, 5, 9-12 ..... J. H. Harty 0
Mr. C. Blackmore's Stillandall, 6, 9-11 ..... R. McCarthy 0

(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—6 to 4 on Erin Green, 5 to 1 each agst. Ballycarron Lass and Royal Ambush, 7 to 1 PEARLEEN, 100 to 8 any other.

Erin Green made the running from Ballycarron Lass, Stillandall, and Petit Beau, with Pearleen last until approaching the last hurdle, when Pearleen drew up on the inside, and heading Erin Green went on to win by a length and a half from Ballycarron Lass, with Erin Green half a length off, third. Anchored was fourth, and Petit Beau next.

3.15—THE DIRECTORS' PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 3 sovs. A handicap. 5 f.

Mr. M. C. Collins's b. g. SWIFT BIRD, by Firing Orb—Lady Colin, 6, 9-7 Joe Canty 1
Mr. James Burns's MOBARNANE, 3, 7-7. ..... James Doyle 2
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's SQUARE TOWN, 3, 7-2 ..... G. McQuillan 3
Mrs. M. Dawson's Kaboonga, 3, 8-0 ...W. Rea 0
Mr. C. A. Fox's March, 4, 8-0 (car. 8-2) M. Wing 0

(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. SWIFT BIRD, 3 to 1 each Mobarnane and Square Town, 4 to 1 March, 20 to 1 Kaboonga.

Kaboonga led from Mobarnane, Swift Bird and March for three furlongs, when Swift Bird took command, and making the remainder of the running won easily by six lengths; half a length divided second and third. Kaboonga was fourth.

3.45—THE BALLYKISTEEN PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 3 sovs. A weight for age flat race. 1 m. 1 f.

Mr. R. O'Donnell's ch. g. KING EAGLE, by Roi Hero—Toom Bird, 4, 9-12 Joe Canty 1
Mr. Lascelles Wilson's DOCH-AN-DORIS, a, 10-0 ..... P. Coleman 2
Mrs. J. Quinlan's RONALD'S PRIDE, a, 9-12 ..... A. Barrett 3
Mr. J. J. Foley's Grace Park, 4, 9-12 F. Foley 0
Mr. M. Curtin's Farran Prince, 4, 9-12 M. Ward 0
Mr. T. L. Philpot's Humberd, 4, 9-12 E. Glavin 0
Mr. T. J. Byrne's Burnhill, 5, 8-9 ..... J. Fagan 0
Mrs. H. Harty's Old Lady, 3, 8-4 ...P. Conlan 0
Mr. J. P. Hogan's Index, 5, 8-9 .....E. Quirke 0
Mr. H. J. Tully's Bonnie Baby, 3, 8-9 ..... J. H. Harty 0
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's Pass of Plumes, 4, 8-9 ..... T. McNeill 0
Mr. B. W. Purdon's Liscarroll Castle, 3, 8-9 ..... P. Connolly 0
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's Black Diver, 3, 8-9 ..... G. McQuillan 0

(Winner trained by M. C. Collins.)

Betting—2 to 1 on KING EAGLE, 8 to 1 each agst. Blue Lookout, Ronald's Pride and Burnmill, 10 to 1 each Mobarnane, Black Diver and Bonnie Baby, 50 to 1 any other.

Index showed the way to King Eagle, Bonnie Baby, Blue Lookout and Burnmill, with Ronald's Pride and Pass of Plumes at the head of the others. In the straight Blue Lookout and Ronald's Pride challenged King Eagle, but in a fine finish Mr. O'Donnell's horse held his position, winning by half a length; a head divided second and third. Pass of Plumes was fourth, Black Diver fifth, Burnmill sixth, and Bonnie Baby next.

Mr. Parkinson declared to win with Black Diver.

4.15—THE FOXHUNTERS' PLATE of 250 sovs., of which the second receives 25 sovs., the third 10 sovs. and the fourth 5 sovs. A weight for age flat race. 2 m.

Hon. K. Mackay's br. g. ANNAN DALE, by Southannan—Lady Noggs, a, 11-12 ..... Mr. W. J. Hilliard 1
Mr. O. T. V. Slocock's LADY LUCIENNE, 4, 10-7 ..... Owner 2
Mr. J. J. Foley's THE DUD, 6, 11-12 ..... M. J. Foley 3
Mrs. T. Nunan's Freedom's Dawn, 6, 11-12 ..... Mr. H. Delmege 0
Mr. R. Sheehan's Spearmond, 6, 11-12 ..... Mr. G.-M. Smith 0
Mr. J. A. Mangan's Rosemint, 4, 10-7 ....Owner 0
Mr. T. Treacy's Sheevra Bee, 4, 11-7 ..... Mr. A. Kenny, jun. 0

(Winner trained by H. Hartigan.)

Betting—5 to 2 on ANNAN DALE, 6 to 1 each agst. Lady Lucienne and Sheevra Bee, 50 to 1 The Dud or any other.

Lady Lucienne set the pace to Freedom's Dawn, Sheevra Bee, Annan Dale, Spearmond and The Dud for over a mile, when Lady Lucienne was followed by Annan Dale and The Dud. In the straight Annan Dale headed Lady Lucienne, and won by three-parts of a length; fifteen lengths divided second and third. Sheevra Bee was fourth, Freedom's Dawn fifth and Rosemint next.

4.45—THE DUBLIN PLATE of 55 sovs., of which the second receives 3 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. 3 m.

Mr. J. H. Purdy's b. g. GAY CAVALIER, by The White Knight—French, a, 11-0 ..... J. H. Harty 1
Mr. J. T. O'Ryan's PACTOLUS, a, 10-4 ..... P. Coleman 2
Mr. T. Keenan's MUSIC BOOK, a, 11-9 ..... M. Hines 3
Mr. J. C. O'Sullivan's Glenoge, a, 10-9 ..... J. Lombard 0
Mr. P. F. O'Halloran's Peggy II., a, 10-8 ..... Mr. H. Cullinan 0
Mr. W. P. Hanly's Busyboy, a, 10-3 C. Graham 0
Mr. J. O'Sullivan's Lady Irene, 6, 9-7 D. Quirke 0
Mr. M. C. Ryan's Captain of the Blues, a, 9-7 ..... C. McCarthy 0

(Winner trained by H. Harty.)

Betting—Evens Pactolus, 6 to 1 each agst. Music Book and Peggy II., 7 to 1 GAY CAVALIER, 10 to 1 any other.

Captain of the Blues set the pace to Music Book, Gay Cavalier, Peggy II., Pactolus and Glenoge, with Lady Irene last. This was the order for two miles, when Peggy II. went on in front of Captain of the Blues, Pactolus, Music Book, Busyboy and Gay Cavalier. Half a mile from home Music Book headed Peggy II., the pair being joined by Pactolus and Gay Cavalier. The four landed over the last fence together, but on the flat Gay Cavalier drew out and won by two and a half lengths; a similar distance divided second and third. Peggy II. was close up fourth, Busyboy fifth and Captain of the Blues next.

5.15—THE RAILWAY PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 3 sovs. A steeplechase. Weight for age, etc. 2 m.

Mr. J. S. Shepherd's b. g. NORTHERN LINNET, by Paso del Norte—Red Linnet II., a, 11-10 ..... Jos. Doyle 1
Mr. A. Lowry's COTULA, a, 11-2 ...J. Costello 2
Mr. P. Whittle's PERFECT KNIGHT, a, 11-10 ..... S. Hayes 3
Mr. P. O'Neill's Ballinatray, a, 12-0 J. H. Harty 0
Mr. D. J. Power's Carrig Long, a, 12-0 ..... Mr. H. Delmege 0
Mr. F. N. Grene's Hollyford, 6, 11-2 ..P. Cullen 0
Mr. C. Blackmore's Bishopslough, a, 10-6 ..... R. McCarthy 0
Mr. R. Wallace's Corrigathane, a, 10-5 ..... P. Coleman 0
Capt. R. H. Smyth's Golden Syrup, 5, 10-4, (car. 10-5) ..... J. Crickmore 0

(Winner trained by M. Arnott.)

Betting—7 to 4 on NORTHERN LINNET, 7 to 1 each agst. Ballinatray, Cotula and Perfect Knight, 100 to 8 any other.

Northern Linnet settled down in front of Perfect Knight, Cotula, Golden Syrup and Ballinatray, and making all the running won in a canter by twelve lengths; twenty-five lengths divided second and third. Carrig Long was fourth, Corrigathane fifth, and Ballinatray next.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

Another attractive programme, with the King's Plate as the centrepiece, will be served up to-day, and the sport promises to maintain the excellent standard it reached yesterday. Selections are appended :—

Tipperary Plate—**Phalo!.**
Bridge Plate—**Clowanstown.**
His Majesty's Plate—**Lomond's Lake**; if absent, **La Petite Chose.**
Sprinters' Plate—**Venny** or **Glenroy.**
Welter Plate—**Irish Temple.**
Spring Plate—**Linette** or **Orthymna.**

2.45—THE TIPPERARY PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 3 sovs. A handicap hurdle race. 1¼ m.

	Age	st. lb.
SANTHOME (10lb. ex) (Mr. F. B. M'Donogh)	Usher	6 12 8
GOLD LABEL (Mr. D. J. Power)	Connolly	4 12 0
GROSVENOR HAPPY BOY (Mr. J. J. Parkinson)	Owner	5 11 15
MERRIE MEMORIES (Mr. John Doyle)	Owner	4 11 12
ABDULLA (Mr. G. Dodd)	H. Harty	9 11 11
NEGOTIATE (Mr. T. G. Fleetwood)	Brabazon	5 11 0
SILENT BIRD (Mr. J. Topping)	McCarthy	4 11 3
SCARLET SATIN (Mr. R. Power)	Doyle	4 11 0
LITTLE FERA (Col. M. Hogan)	Stanton	4 11 0
PHALOF (Mr. R. B. Corle)	Grundy	4 11 0
SWEET LADY (Mr. A. Lowry)	Dawson	5 11 0
MILL CRAFT (Mr. T. J. Widger)	Widger	6 10 13
MAJORESS (Mr. Darby Rogers)	D. Rogers	a 10 12
GOSSIP SHOP (Mr. W. Desmond)	Lombard	a 10 11
RAPID RIVER (Mr. R. Crotty)	Parkinson	5 10 9
DOTE (Mr. W. W. Abe)	Owner	5 10 9
ROI KNIGHT (Mrs. Moss)	Moss	4 10 9
ELOQUENT (Mr. J. J. Parkinson)	Owner	4 10 7
BALLYOOMAN (Mr. J. J. Keating)	Owner	5 10 7
STILLANDALL (Mr. C. Blackmore)	Kirwan	6 10 5
TENDER PROSPECTS (Mr. J. C. Ryan)	Owner	a 10 0
WHAT A HOPE (Mrs. M. J. Harty)	M. Harty	4 10 0
AIDAN (Capt. T. Martin)	Connolly	a 10 0
POLISH PRINCESS (Mr. D. J. Cogan)	Rice	4 10 0

3.15—THE BRIDGE PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 3 sovs. A weight for age flat race. 6 f.

	Age	st. lb.
SWAN MAIDEN (Mr. R. J. Henry)	Fetherston	4 9 12
VAL JUNIOR (Mrs. H. Harty)	H. Harty	a 9 12
KNOCKREE LASS (Major C. Mellon)	Brabazon	5 9 12
AUTUMN LIST (Mr. T. Horgan)	Lombard	4 9 12
FLYING ALEX (£75) (Mr. A. H. Leslie)	Collins	4 9 5
CLONISK (£75) (Mr. John Doyle)	Owner	5 9 5
MOMOL (Mr. M. Cleary)	Dawson	5 8 10
PRINCE LOMOND (Mr. W. Cowley)	Owner	5 8 10
ELIZABETH M. (Mr. J. Crosbie)	Collins	5 8 10
RIVER THAMES (Captain Tizard)	Roban	5 8 10
DUFF DUTTA (Mr. P. Darling)	Darling	5 8 10
PARKONSHORE (Mr. M. Foley)	Foley	5 8 10
BRIGHTER LIMERICK (Mr. E. J. Gleeson)	Owner	5 8 10
VENTZEL (Mr. P. B. Treacy)	Grundy	5 8 10
LOYOLA (Mr. J. D. O'Connell)	Owner	5 8 10
ENAMEL (Mr. J. Hopkins)	Owner	5 8 10
SQUARE TOWN (Mr. J. Parkinson)	Owner	5 8 10
BONNIE BABY (Mr. H. J. Tully)	Owner	5 8 10
KILFENORA (Miss M. Wallace)	Wallace	5 8 10
BONNIE KATE (Mr. J. J. Parkinson)	Owner	5 8 10
EDWARD (Mrs. Darby Rogers)	D. Rogers	5 8 10
CLOWANSTOWN (Mr. H. M. Hartigan)	Owner	5 8 10
RATHNALLY (Mr. H. M. Hartigan)	Owner	5 8 10
CHOSEN LEAF (Mr. J. P. Hogan)	Parkinson	5 8 10
ANGEL FACE (Mr. J. T. Milson)	Grundy	5 8 10
FLASHOUTOGE (Mr. J. Hunter)	Owner	5 8 10
CURRAGH BAWN (Mr. J. J. M'Grath)	Owner	5 8 10
HALNAKE STAR (£75) (Mrs. Darby Rogers)	D. Rogers	5 8 3
MOUNTAIN ECHO (£75) (Mr. P. M'Govern)	Stanton	5 8 3
ORTHYMNA (£75) (Mrs. Darby Rogers)	D. Rogers	5 8 3

3.45—HIS MAJESTY'S PLATE of 100 guineas. Weight for age, etc. 11 m.

	Age	st. lb.
LOUVIEN (Mr. T. P. O'Neill)	Parkinson	5 5
ST. DONAGH (Mr. A. B. Cole)	Grundy	5 5 5
PRINCE TIP AM (Mr. T. A. Burne)	Ryan	a 5 5
GRAND POINTS (Lt.-Col. E. S. Bowling)	Owner	5 5 8 12
BONNIE BRAES (Mr. T. Nugent)	Owner	5 5 8 11
LOMOND'S LAKE (Mr. P. W. Shaw)	Parkinson	5 5 8 12
PERFECT KNIGHT (Mr. P. Whittle)	Walsh	5 5 8 12
CAPTOVIA (Mr. W. F. Melbourne)	Coote	5 5 8 12
LADY SAN (Mr. C. Nugent)	Macaulay	5 5 8 12
LA PETITE CHOSE (Mr. John Bergal)	Macaulay	4 5 8 7
GAME HEN (Mr. E. M'Cartan Mooney)	Fetherston	4 5 8 7
RALLY BEE (Mr. J. J. Parkinson)	Owner	4 5 8 7
ROYAL TANGO (Mr. F. S. Myerscough)	Grundy	3 5 7 8
DERMOT'S PET (Mr. D. P. O'Brien)	Owner	3 5 7 8
WHITE CHARTREUSE (Mrs. D. Rogers)	D. Rogers	3 5 7 8

4.15—THE SPRINTERS' PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. For maiden two years old. 5 f.

	st. lb.
GLENSTAL (Miss M. E. Gleeson)	Gleeson 8 12
GLENROY (Mr. J. J. Parkinson)	Owner 8 12
TALPA (Mr. J. J. Parkinson)	Owner 8 12
LISRONAGH (Mr. Jas. O'Keeffe)	Collins 8 12
ARCHIPELAGO (Capt. R. B. Bruce)	H. Hartigan 8 9
KNOCKTOI (Mrs. M. Dawson)	Dawson 8 9
LADY TAILTEANN (Mr. T. G. Fleetwood)	Brabazon 8 9
JUNADA (Mr. M. C. Collins)	Owner 8 9
NIC MINUS (Mr. C. Boyle)	Collins 8 9
MARIE CELLINE (Mr. J. P. Hogan)	Owner 8 9
BIG FORTUNE (Mr. T. N. Perry)	Owner 8 9
THIS FREEDOM (Mrs. J. T. Rogers)	Rogers 8 9
ACOLYTE (Mr. C. R. Summers)	O'Ferrall 8 9
MAIDEN'S CRAFT (Mr. W. A. Watlis)	Stanton 8 9
TROPHY WAY (Mr. H. J. Tully)	Owner 8 9
ARCH LIGHT (Mr. Jas. M'Cormick)	Keays 8 9
MYSTIC GLEAM (Mr. A. J. M'Namara)	H. Harty 8 9
SHE MIGHT (Mr. R. J. O'Ryan)	Ryan 8 9
SOUTH SEA (Mr. J. J. Parkinson)	Owner 8 9
MEDEA (Mr. A. J. M'Namara)	H. Harty 8 9
GUN MAN (£50) (Mr. H. L. Usher)	Owner 8 8
LUCKY STRIKE (£50) (Major C. Mitchell)	Fetherston 8 2
LINGUIST (£50) (Mr. R. More O'Farrell)	Owner 8 2
MIDDY (£50) (Mr. T. J. Widger)	Widger 8 2
F., by SONNING—Three Pence (£50) (Mr. H. du Vallier)	Owner 8 2
MOTH (£50) (Mr. D. J. Cogan)	Rice 8 2
BELSAY DENE (£50) (Mrs. T. Coombs)	Coombs 8 2
VENNY (£50) (Mr. A. B. Coyle)	Grundy 8 2

4.45—THE WELTER PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 3 sovs. A handicap flat race. 2 m.

	Age	st. lb.
LOMOND'S LAKE (Mr. P. W. Shaw)	Parkinson	5 12 7
ILSTON MUTE (Lady Palmer)	Scott	5 12 11
PRINCE HIRAM (Mr. T. A. Byrne)	Ryan	a 11 7
INNISCARRA (Mr. J. D. O'Connell)	Owner	4 11 5
PROSPECTOR (Mr. J. Parkinson)	Owner	5 11 5
LISWORNEY (Miss M. Feore)	Feore	5 11 0
IRISH TEMPLE (Mr. C. M'Laughlin)	Owner	5 10 12
SCARLET PIMPERNEL (Mr. E. P. Gleeson)	Owner	a 10 10
MAGIC ROD (Miss L. Delmege)	Connolly	a 10 9
SWEET HONORA (Mr. H. C. M'Neill)	Stanton	4 10 9
CLARE ISLAND (Mr. J. J. Parkinson)	Owner	5 10 7
KARA-TETE (Mr. J. P. O'Donnell)	Owner	6 10 7
WOODCRARREN (Mr. H. H. Tully)	Owner	6 10 5
MAIDSTOWN (Mr. N. Connolly)	Owner	a 10 5
LADY IRENE (Mr. John O'Sullivan)	O'Sullivan	6 10 5
REWARD (Mrs. Moss)	Moss	4 10 5
ROI KNIGHT (Mrs. Moss)	Moss	4 10 5
FAST ASLEEP (Mr. B. Wallace)	Wallace	a 10 3
BEER (Mr. Cowan)	Rice	4 10 3
MISS MAGEE (Mr. T. Hyde)	Owner	a 10 0
BAN RIGH (Mr. P. Heffernan)	Owner	a 10 0
GEORGE STEVENS (Mr. P. Whittle)	Owner	a 10 0
BISHOPSLOUGH (Mr. C. Blackmore)	Owner	a 10 0

5.10—THE SPRING PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 2 sovs. A handicap flat race. 7 f. 60 yds.

	Age	st. lb.
KILDARRA BOY (Mr. W. O'Driscoll)	Dawson	5 10 5
BANNIE (Mr. B. O'Donnell)	M'Craith	6 10 0
NOBLE PRINCE (Mr. F. Burke)	Collins	6 10 0
ATTHEANNON (Mr. J. J. Parkinson)	Owner	4 10 0
IMMATERIAL (Mr. John O'Callaghan)	Fetherston	4 9 3
MINNETONKA (Mr. J. Shell)	Doyle	5 9 3
DARK AGES (Mr. J. J. Parkinson)	Owner	5 9 0
LINETTE (Mr. H. J. Kirwan)	Owner	4 8 13
ATHDEG (Mr. H. M. Hartigan)	Owner	4 8 13
LORD BUTTON (Mr. C. Farrell)	Rabaston	5 8 6
STAR EIREANN (Mr. H. J. Tully)	Owner	4 8 5
ARDNACRUSHA (Mr. D. P. O'Brien)	Owner	5 8 3
THOMAS ATKINS (Mr. P. Sheehan)	Sheehan	4 8 3
SCARLET SATIN (Mr. R. Power)	Doyle	4 8 2
BRIGHTAG (Col. M. Hogan)	Moss	5 8 0
KYLEMORE (Mr. J. J. Foley)	Owner	5 8 0
AUTUMN FIRE (Mrs. T. Coombs)	Coombs	3 7 10
LONELY FLIGHT (Mr. J. Staunton)	Owner	3 7 7
ORTHYMNA (Mrs. Darby Rogers)	D. Rogers	3 7 7
CAILIN DUBH (Mr. D. J. Cogan)	Rice	3 7 7

TRAIN ARRANGEMENTS.

A special train leaves Kingsbridge at 11.15 a.m. and returns at 6.5 p.m.

BRIGHTON TO-DAY:

PROBABLE RUNNERS AND BETTING.

SELECTIONS.

Town Selling—**Bridge of Dun.**
Portslade Selling—**Euloise.**
Southover Plate—**Dodder.**
Balcombe Stakes—**Clonespoe.***
Shoreham Maiden Plate—**Severn Tunnel c.**
Brighthelmstone Plate—**Pommaria.**

TO-DAY'S DOUBLE.

Clonespoe (Brighton) and **Bonnie Kelso** (Beverley).

2.0—TOWN SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. 1½ m.

	Age	st. lb.
BRIDGE OF DUN (Mrs. R. Joel)	Hyams	a 9 13
BLACK SHEEP (Mr. A. Ansell)	Hare	6 9 10
NORTH COAST (Mrs. M. Jones)	W. Jones	6 9 10
DRIVE ON (Mr. R. Wigram)	Kemp	a 9 6
SOLITARY (Mr. A. C. E. Howeson)	W. Nightingall	5 9 6
BLACK STEFAN (Mr. Cresswell)	Thrale	4 9 6
ISSUE (Mr. P. Allden)	Allden	6 9 3
ARCHERY (Mr. R. Gore)	Gore	5 9 3
THEGENWELL (Mr. H. Betteridge)	Hedges	a 9 3
POUILLY (Mr. A. Law)	A. Law	a 9 3
BARRACKTON LAD (Mr. W. Harris)	Young	a 9 3
TUSCAN (Mr. R. G. Saaw)	Pendarves	a 9 3
ROSEMULLION (Mr. S. Wootton)	Wootton	5 9 3
SOLEIRA (Lord Queenborough)	G. Bennett	4 9 2
JANUARY (Mr. J. Mayell)	G. Bennett	4 8 13
SAUCY IRIS (Mr. R. N. Willett)	Willett	4 8 13
CRYSTAL CUP (Major P. Garratt)	V. Smyth	3 7 11

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
012	BRIDGE OF DUN.....G. Duller	5/2
043	NORTH COAST .....R. Jones	10/1
041	DRIVE ON .....S. Donoghue	5/1
000	SOLITARY .....Perryman	7/2
350	BLACK STEFAN .....R. Dick	6/1
343	TRESENWELL .....Lane	8/1
	POUILLY .....F. Fox	100/8
300	BARRACKTON LAD.....W. Gilchrist	100/8
002	TUSCAN .....Serby	7/1
312	SOLEIRA .....G. Richards	5/1
000	SAUCY IRIS .....Forsyth	10/1
000	CRYSTAL CUP .....Cooksey	100/8

2.30—PORTSLADE SELLING WELTER HANDICAP of 250 sovs. 5 f. 66 yds.

	Age	st. lb.
LADY SHEILA (Mr. R. C. Huggett)	Anthony	6 9 9
HEROD ANTIPAS (Mr. G. Duller)	Duller	6 9 7
ICEMAN (Mr. P. Hands)	L. Hammond	6 9 7
BIG BEN (Mr. J. W. Simmonds)	Rayson	4 9 6
CORNBIN (Mr. P. Thelluson)	Cottrill	4 9 0
GAVIN (Mr. C. Green)	C. Piggott	5 9 0
PASHA (Mr. C. W. Langlands)	Langlands	6 8 13
PENLAKE (Mr. G. Duller)	G. Duller	4 8 12
WEARING A CROWN (Mr. W. T. Sears)	Leach, jun.	4 8 12
SLIEVEKEALE (Mr. H. Martin)	F. Scott	4 8 11
SWANAGE (Mr. J. H. N. Dalton)	Willett	5 8 11
LOVE AND MONEY (Mr. S. Wootton)	Wootton	3 8 9
EULOISE (Mrs. Gilbert)	Coldbeck	a 8 7
ROSANOFF (Mr. Sedwick)	Rimell	6 8 7
SUNNY LOCH (Mr. R. J. Broome)	Tabor	5 8 7
HERMES (Mr. A. Bouiall, jun.)	Hackett	5 8 6
ORPINE (Mr. F. J. Benson)	E. Wilson	a 8 6
ARBLAIN (Mr. J. Muir)	Rimell	6 8 4
POLYPODIUM (Mr. D. M. Gant)	L. Hammond	4 8 4
WITTY NELL (Mr. H. O. Madden)	Madden	5 8 3
CHERONAEA (Mr. J. H. S. Cannon)	J. Cannon	3 8 3
ARZILA (Mr. E. A. V. Stanley)	Beatty	3 8 2
AFFECTATION (Captain E. Elgee)	F. Hartigan	3 8 2
SQUAD (Mr. A. C. E. Howeson)	W. Nightingall	3 8 2
ROSAMBO (Mr. Edgar Wallace)	Larkin	5 8 1
ELSPETH (Mr. T. A. Edge)	Poole	5 8 0
NINE-TREE HILL (Mr. W. Strawson)	W. Nightingall	6 7 11
ALWAR (Mr. F. Hartigan)	F. Hartigan	3 7 10
TULLY-WOOD (Sir Keith Fraser)	Fraser	3 7 9
IRISH FLIER (Mr. T. Hulme)	Hulme	3 7 9
PALMOLIVE (Mr. G. Barclay)	Piggott	3 7 7
FOUR-FOOTED (Mr. H. Savill)	F. Hartigan	3 7 7
CHATHAM PRINCE (Mr. W. F. Larkin)	Larkin	3 7 7
LETCOMBE LASSIE (Mr. J. Scott)	J. Scott	3 7 7

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
	PASHA .....Elliott	10/1
000	PENLAKE .....Henry	10/1
044	SLIEVEKEALE .....S. Donoghue	9/2
020	SWANAGE .....Brennan	100/7
320	LOVE AND MONEY .....Carroll	3/1
140	SUNNY LOCH .....L. Wilson	10/1
040	HERMES .....R. Read	100/7
052	ORPINE .....Serby	5/1
300	POLYPODIUM .....Sirett	7/1
003	AFFECTATION .....Weston	8/1
230	SQUAD .....Perryman	10/1
000	ROSAMBO .....R. Fox	100/7
000	ELSPETH .....H. Wright	100/7
000	NINE-TREE HIL

THE AMATEUR GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP.

MAJOR HEZLET WINS BY 5 AND 4.

GOOD RECOVERY BY DR. MACCORMACK.

LOCAL ARTISAN DEFEATS WALKER CUP PLAYER.

The progress of Sutton, the nineteen-year-old Birkenhead labourer, who in the first round settled the aspirations of Harold Hilton in regard to his hundredth victory, divided public interest in the Amateur Championship at Hoylake yesterday with the effort which was made by John Ball.

Sutton supplemented his win of the opening day by a surprising victory over W. B. Torrance, the British "Walker" Cup player, who has many times represented Scotland. H is the youngest of three brothers, and is at present out of employment, so he has had a good deal of time to polish up his game on the Wallasey links. His fortunes were followed by a considerable number of lads who are also out of work. He played beautiful golf, getting the figures not by any freak, but by the regulation shots. He hit a long ball down the middle, and his tendency to take a lot of turf with his iron shots paid under the hard conditions which prevailed, while on the greens he was correct in the strength of his approach putts and sure in his short ones.

He won the first two holes, and was four up at the seventh. Torrance only won a single hole in the round, that being the thirteenth. Sutton is not a thrilling golfer, but he has played so steadily that his chance of the championship commands some attention.

MAJOR HEZLET AND DR. MacCORMACK SURVIVE.

Two of the Irish entrants still survive, while the Emerald Isle may lay claim to others. Major H. A. Boyd (Portmarnock) failed to reach the third round. He was beaten by D. E. Soulby, a member of Royal Dublin, who entered from Fairhaven. Born in Lancashire, Soulby has held the championship of his native county, but for many years played most of his golf in Ireland. He is reputed to be a great match player, and it is no discredit to Major Boyd to be beaten by such an experienced golfer.

The margin was four and three. Major Boyd won the first hole, but matters were square at the sixth. Then Soulby took the seventh and eighth, and halved the ninth in par figures. Going out in 39, he was still two up at the thirteenth, each having won a hole in the meantime. Then Soulby took the fourteenth and fifteenth—two long holes in fours—to finish the match.

Dr. J. D. MacCormack, of Hermitage, recorded a good win against W. B. Charles, a member of the home links. It was a dour struggle throughout. Mainly through indifferent putting, the doctor was three down at the seventh. From that point, however, he played all his shots well, and partially overcame his lapse on the greens. He won the ninth and eleventh, and with a two at the short thirteenth, where he laid his iron dead, he squared. At the sixteenth he took the lead for the first time, and increased his advantage at the seventeenth to finish the match.

Against the Hon. Denys Scott Major C. O. Hezlet (Royal Portrush) lost the first hole, but squared matters at the third, and winning the fifth and sixth was two up at that stage. Scott then got two to square matters.

From that point Hezlet played brilliant golf. He won the next five holes to become dormy, and, with a half at the fourteenth, won the match by 5 and 4. The Royal Portrush player had a score of one under fours for the fourteen holes. He is in the bottom of the draw, and should on that form go much further.

JOHN BALL'S EXIT.

The exit of John Ball was worthy of his wonderful record. He missed three putts of two feet during the game, but the story came at the end when he was five down with five to go. He had been looking tired, but as he teed up to the fourteenth he seemed to brace himself, and he played the hole beautifully. He won it in 4, and as he played the fifteenth as well as he ever played it he also won that in 4. He was now three down again, and the crowd was thrilled. He hit a perfect drive right down the middle, and his second shot across the corner of the dyke was a beauty. But just at the end it caught the fringe of the bunker guarding the green. A couple of feet and he would have been beside the pin with as great a brassie shot as ever he struck. He has never carried a niblick, and he pitched down to within two yards of the hole with a mashie iron. His opponent, however, holed a long putt from the edge of the green to get a 4, and he did not ask Ball to hole out.

An incident was the waiting of Len Nettlefold, the Australian champion, for his opponent, Raymond Oppenheimer, the leader of last season's Oxford side, and the new captain of the club. When the names were called, Nettlefold stepped out and waited, but there was no appearance by Oppenheimer at the appointed time. The officials decided to allow him a few minutes' grace, but they waited in vain. No word was received of his scratching, although it is understood that some time ago the Principal of Christ Church took exception to the entry during term of any student in residence.

Roger Wethered and Cyril Tolley, two of the favourites, had very hard games, and a good deal of luck was manifest in their victories. The form of neither was heartening to his friends. Perkins, the English champion, was defeated by Robinson, the Southport artisan, who was in the final of the first English championship when it was played here two years ago. All the remaining Americans—never a serious consideration—were beaten.

SECOND ROUND.

Dennis Kyle (Stoke Poges) beat H. Hodges (St. George's Hill)—6 and 4.

I. Goldstom (Stockport) beat W. Mackenzie (Portenhall)—2 and 1.

P. Smith (Oxhey) beat F. Pegler (R. and A.)—2 and 1.

John Brodie (Williamwood) beat N. Paterson (Sandy Lodge)—4 and 3.

W. Crichton (Chester-le-Street) beat G. M. Hirst (Harrogate) at 20th.

J. Knittel (Montreux, Switzerland), walked over; J. Greathead (Gezira, Cairo), scratched.

L. Nettlefold (Hoylake, Tasmania) walked over; P. Oppenheimer (Sunningdale) scratched.

J. Schofield (Sandiway) walked over; S. Chesterton (Royal Mid-Surrey) scratched.

W. Dinn (Royal Liverpool) beat N. Dunn (Doncaster)—2 and 1.

J. Moir (Bruntisfield) beat D. White (Worthing)—1 up.

D. Brown (Royal Liverpool) beat J. Neilan (Seaham Harbour)—2 and 1.

Dr. W. Tweddell (Stourbridge) beat T. Bourn (Sunningdale)—5 and 4.

Lieut.-Col. Moore-Brabazon (Huntercombe) beat R. Johnson (Oxhey)—3 and 2.

J. Abercrombie (Royal Liverpool) beat John Ball (Royal Liverpool)—3 and 2.

R. Ellison (Royal Liverpool) beat C. H. Turnbull (Glamorganshire)—7 and 6.

C. Aylmer (Ranelagh) beat M. White (Wallasey)—6 and 5.

Capt. Pearson (R. and A.) beat Alan Cave (R. and A.)—5 and 3.

F. R. Hitchmough (Royal Liverpool) beat Hon. Michael Scott (Royal St. George's)—1 up.

S. Robinson (Southport) beat T. Perkins (Castle Brunwich)—2 and 1.

N. Sutton (West Cheshire Artizans) beat W. B. Torrance (Edinburgh Burgess)—4 and 3.

R. H. Wethered (Worplesdon) beat S. Lunt (Moseley)—2 and 1.

J. Hassell (Bromborough) beat G. Hannay (Addington)—6 and 5.

D. Watson (Royal Ashdown Forest) beat A. H. Read (Sunningdale)—3 and 2.

E. Layton (Walton Heath) beat F. Newton (Brooklime, U.S.A.)—3 and 2.

J. Nelson (Royal Calcutta) beat Joshua Crane (Brooklime, U.S.A.)—2 up.

Major Thorburn (Sunningdale) beat T. Heald (Birkdale)—7 and 6.

E. Haley (Sundridge Park) beat F. Williamson (Carlisle City)—4 and 3.

C. Tolley (Liverpool) beat Lord Charles Hope (R. and A.)—3 and 1.

H. E. Taylor (Royal Mid-Surrey) beat C. Leese (Wilmslow)—4 and 3.

C. Buckley (North Worcestershire) beat J. Bailey (Wootton)—6 and 4.

F. Weaver (Addington) beat J. Schofield (Royal Lytham and St. Anne's)—4 and 3.

H. D. Gillies (Woking) beat T. Wright (West Cheshire Artizans)—4 and 2.

R. H. de Montgomerie (Stoke Poges) beat P. Leathart (Royal Liverpool)—4 and 3.

C. Parker (Warrington) beat C. Pillman (Sidcup)—5 and 3.

R. Hardman (Birkdale) beat Sqd.-Ldr. Hayward (R.A.F.)—2 and 1.

D. Grant (Royal St. George's) beat R. Finlay (St. George's Hill)—1 up.

R. Crummack (Royal Lytham and St. Anne's) beat H. Shepherd (Moor Park)—2 up.

J. Dawson (Troon) beat Carl Bretherton (Handsworth)—2 and 1.

G. B. Farrar (Royal Liverpool) beat W. MacCallum (Sonning)—3 and 2.

J. Beddard (South Staffs) beat O. Bristowe (West Hill)—1 up.

W. Hope (St. George's Hill) beat F. Rankin (Sunningdale)—5 and 3.

R. Cant (Carnoustie) beat H. Dixon (Formby)—2 and 1.

T. Torrance (Sandy Lodge) beat W. Archdale (Little Aston)—7 and 6.

C. Marston (Wrexham) beat E. Thompson (Wearside)—3 and 2.

Major C. O. Hezlet (Royal Portrush) beat Hon. Denys Scott (Royal North Devon)—6 and 4.

Captain Jobson (R. and A.) beat W. Tulloch (Cathkin Braes)—1 up.

W. Murray (West Hill) beat H. Brower, jun. (U.S.A.)—7 and 5.

G. MacCallum (Sonning) beat W. Powell (Langley Park), at 20th.

E. Storey (West Hill) beat Dr. Gardiner-Hill (Sunningdale)—3 and 2.

D. Soulby (Fairhaven) beat **Major H. A. Boyd (Portmarnock)**—4 and 3.

T. Bowman (Belton Park) beat John Morrison (Sunningdale)—3 and 2.

D. Landale (Royal Liverpool) beat K. Stoker (Royal Liverpool)—3 and 1.

Dr. J. D. MacCormick (Hermitage) beat W. B. Charles (Royal Liverpool)—2 and 1.

H. Carr (Walton Heath) walked over; P. Quilter (Walton Heath) scratched.

E. Hatton (Royal Liverpool) beat W. Carr (Walton Heath)—2 and 1.

A. Jameson, jun (Pollok) beat F. Sidney (Sandwell Park)—5 and 4.

A. McNair, jun. (East Renfrewshire) beat E. Graham (Royal Liverpool)—2 and 1.

A. Macbeth (Bowdon) beat R. Nettlefold (Hobart, Tasmania)—5 and 3.

J. Pierson (Burnham and Berrow) walked over; G. Tweedale (Wilmslow) scratched.

G. Grimwade (Cambridge Univ.) beat E. Blackwell (R. and A.)—2 and 1.

R. Hartley (Coodeu Beach) beat F. H. Hayward (Gezira, Cairo)—4 and 3.

H. Heslop (Bromborough) walked over; G. Q. Henriques (Buxton), scratched.

E. B. Tipping (Royal Ashdown Forest) beat D. Anderson (St. George's Hill)—4 and 3.

J. Beard (West Hill) beat S. Horsley (Sidmouth)—2 and 1.

M. MCDERMOTT WINS AT NEWLANDS.

HIGH-SCORING BY THE LEINSTER PROFESSIONALS.

It was not out of his turn that the Hermitage professional, M. McDermott, won a competition when he topped the aggregates in the tournament with which the Newlands Club opened its week yesterday. At the close of the first round he seemed out of it, being then four strokes behind T. Shannon, who led the field with a sound 77. Had the Milltown man not thrown away strokes at each of the short holes in the forenoon, he, as the aggregates worked out, must have gained an extremely popular victory. At three of these holes he had 4's, and a 5 went down at another—the result of miscalculations on the fast greens.

McDermott, however, recovered very well after a poor morning round of 81, and tied with Dan Mahony for the best round of the day, a capital 75, which enabled him to win the club prize by one stroke from Shannon and Murray.

The scoring, on the whole, ruled high; in fact, only McDermott, Mahony and J. Gaffney broke the bogey of 77. Newlands, however, is a testing course. The long seconds at some holes are trying, the approaches by no means easy, and with the hot sun playing on the greens—it was a delightful day—they had the best of the competitors guessing.

It was an auspicious send-off to the open week, which will conclude on Saturday with the competition for the Steve Donoghue Cup, an event open to all Ireland. To-day there will be a four-ball bogey for men against bogey, mixed foursomes will be the attraction to-morrow, and Friday will be given up to the ladies' stroke competition.

The scores and aggregates yesterday were:—

	1st Rd.	2nd Rd.	Aggt.
M. McDermott (Hermitage)	81	75	156
T. Shannon (Milltown)	77	80	157
D. Murray (Skerries)	80	77	157
J. O'Neill (Howth)	79	79	158
P. O'Connor (Woodbrook)	79	79	158
J. Sullivan (Bray)	78	80	158
D. Mahony (Elm Park)	85	75	160
J. Martin (Newlands)	81	80	161
W. Holley (Castle)	82	79	161
J. Gaffney (Lucan)	85	76	161
W. Nolan (Portmarnock)	83	80	163
J. Quinn (Clontarf)	83	81	164
T. Gaffney (Killiney)	79	86	165
W. Hanna (Kildare)	85	86	171
J. Hewitt (Hermitage)	86	86	172
John Doran (Portmarnock)	88	89	177
P. Smyth (Royal Dublin), P. Quinn (Clontarf), and James Doran (unattached) retired.			

LADIES' MIDLAND TROPHY.

Played at Birr, when Galway won by 4 matches to 1.

GALWAY.		BIRR.	
Mrs. Braund	1	Mrs. Sweeney	0
Mrs. Mahon	0	Mrs. Christie	1
Miss Redington	1	Mrs. Ross	0
Miss Begley	1	Mrs. Ryall	0
Miss Hynes	1	Miss Dooley	0
Total	4	Total	1

MISS MOLLY GOURLAY.

The English lady champion, Miss Molly Gourlay, who was operated upon for appendicitis, on Sunday, was stated yesterday to have had a good night and to be much improved.

CLUB NOTICES AND REPORTS.

MILLTOWN.—Ladies' Branch—Club four-ball, bogey—1st, Mrs. Thrift and Miss Nolan, 5 up; 2nd, Miss Knight Roche and Mrs. Kilduff, 4 up.

DELGANY.—Men's monthly medal—G. Gill (17), 2 down. Saturday next—Men's four-ball, v. bogey, for prizes presented by Mr. J. M. Calvert.

MALAHIDE.—To-day, at Malahide, Barton Cup final—Malahide v. Howth. The course will be closed to all except players in the above from 3 o'clock p.m. Saturday next—Qualifying round, captain's prize, 18 holes, medal play. Entries close 27th May. Frequent draws.

CLONGOWES WOOD COLLEGE UNION.—The competition for the Abraham Sutton Clongowes Cup will, by kind permission, be played at Portmarnock to-morrow (Thursday). This competition is open to all members of the Union.

WOODBROOK.—Result of Saturday prize (presented by West and Son)—J. J. Bouche (34), 71; P. J. Killeen (18), 73; J. Nolan (6), 74; M. J. Kinnane (18), 75; T. D. O'Brien (20), 75; S. W. Davin (13), 76. Saturday next—Captain's prize, 18 holes, strokes.

KILLINEY.—Ladies' Branch—Friday next—Semi-open foursomes, v. bogey. Arrange partners. Draws at 11 a.m., 2.0 and 2.30 p.m. Friday, June 3rd—Lady captain's (Mrs. Callaghan) prize; match play. Entries close Monday, 30th inst., at 6 p.m. Result of Messrs. West's prize (eclectic)—Mrs. Myers, 35+; 2nd, Miss Ross, 36+.

CASTLE.—Ladies' Branch—Victory Challenge Cup; first sixteen qualify to play off by match play. Matches must be played to a finish, first round to be completed on or before Saturday, 4th June. Best net: Mrs. Percy Whitehead (28), Mrs. Brooks (36), and Miss Cole (36), 76, tied, Miss Cole having got in best score for second nine holes on handicap. Draw—Mrs. Beatty (9), 81, v. Miss Cole (36), 76; Miss Royston (21), 77, v. Miss Haughton (25) 80; Mrs. Eustace (29), 78, v. Miss Delany (30), 77; Mrs. Lenehan (21), 77, v. Mrs. Clough (29), 82; Mrs. Brooks (36), 76, v. Mrs. McKeow (16), 82; Mrs. Leash (28), 80, v. Mrs. Geoghegan (19), 79; Mrs. Norton (25), 81, v. Mrs. Whitehead (28), 76; Miss Seaman (21), 81, v. Mrs. Sinton (18), 79.

LUCAN.—Ladies' Branch — Club foursomes, arranged for Friday, May 27th, have been postponed. June 10th—Semi-open Scotch foursomes, 18 holes, strokes. Mrs. Wild's prize was won by Miss Mooney, who defeated Miss Hill-Lowe in the final by 2 up.

FOXROCK (Ladies' Branch)—Miss Scovell's prize, eclectic—Miss H. MacDermott (12), 35; Miss D. McCann (6 1-3), Mrs. Knapp (4 1-3), 35 2-3.

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CARDIFF

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

1.30—ST. FAGAN'S SELLING HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 100 sovs. 2m.

	Age.	st.	lb.
Burnt Heather	6	13	7
Lackey	6	12	6
Plumado	a	12	3
Presumptuous	a	12	2
Bubbly	a	12	2
Holy Fooks	a	11	13
Mr. Speaker	4	11	11
Oyster Maid	4	11	11
Baccalaureat	5	11	9
Anchorite	5	11	9
Mussolini	6	11	9
Phantom Willie	a	11	5
Nothing Higher	5	11	5
North Ham	6	11	2
Ligan	a	11	0
Oh Help	a	11	0
Orange Plume	5	10	8
Tulican	5	10	7
Some Dance	a	10	4

2.0—CARDIFF SELLING HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 100 sovs. About 2 m. 50 yds.

	Age.	st.	lb.
Guidance	a	12	7
Vive-la	a	12	5
True Knight	a	12	2
The Heir	a	11	12
Merryheart	5	11	10
Spectrum	a	11	10
Scrabo	a	11	10
Truly Rural	a	11	10
Lord Emmett	6	10	13
Rubber	6	10	10
Ballywin	a	10	10
Irish Delight	a	10	9
Glengarry II	a	10	8
Red Standard	a	10	7
Camperdown	a	10	7
St. Valentine	a	10	7
P.S.	a	10	6

2.30—PLYMOUTH HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 100 sovs. 2m.

	Age.	st.	lb.
The Miller	a	12	7
False Report	a	12	1
Gold Willow	a	12	1
Flown Away	a	12	0
Joseph the First	a	11	13
Rock Arrow	a	11	10
Actrix	4	11	8
Formidable	a	11	8
Olivewhin	a	11	6
White Flag	4	11	6
Wild Duck	a	11	4
Cylgate	4	11	4
Icarus	a	11	4
Boreallis	5	11	0
Gun Runner	5	11	0
Comether	a	10	13
Pullman	a	10	9
Merry Lad	a	10	7
Flashing Light	4	10	7
Duffy	a	10	6
Pearlman	6	10	5
Cabriolet	4	10	5
Carcanet	6	10	0
Redflight II	6	10	0
Merryvale	6	10	0

3.0—ELY HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 100 sovs. About 3 m. 100 yds.

	Age.	st.	lb.
Postino	a	12	7
Scotch Eagle	a	12	7
Tara King	a	12	2
Fasseroe	a	11	11
Prince Sadim	a	11	9
Sans Peche	a	11	7
Harry Hark	a	11	1
Mcytura	a	11	1
Fairy Priestess	a	10	12
Flushed	a	10	9
Bridgemore	a	10	8
Miss Balscadden	a	10	8
Achilles	a	10	7
Causeway II	a	10	3
Red Empress	a	10	3
Marmot	5	10	0

3.30—WINDSOR MAIDEN SELLING HURDLE RACE of 100 sovs. About 2½ m. and 80 yds.

	Age.
Jungle Fire	5
Fair Mona	4
Manister Field	a
Dax Americanus	5
Hasty Countess	4
Somerton Girl	4
Portlight	a
Owlglass	4
Some Dance	a

4.0—COTTRELL STEEPLECHASE of 100 sovs. About 2 m. 50 yds.

	Age.
Mantelet	a
Corney Grain	a
Flaith Mor	6
Bath Oliver	a
Evanswave	a
Father Collins	a
Bright Porspect	a
Drinmore Lass	6
Dark Dragon	a
Kinawley	a
Lady Lindrum	6
Causeway II	a
Dart	a
Mr. Hobby	a
Gapple	a
Knock Brack	a
Tudmer	5
Mary Court	4

CRICKET.

DEFEAT OF YORKSHIRE AT HULL.

GOOD BOWLING BY MAYER AND QUAIFE.

Given a life at short-leg before he scored Hearne stayed to make 75 and the winning hit for Middlesex against the New Zealanders at Lord's yesterday, when the county won by three wickets. G. T. S. Stevens played tree cricket for his 89, which included eleven 4's.

Except for a brief period early on, Essex never looked like making a fight of the match at the Oval and a short day's cricket found them defeated by an innings and 17 runs.

Lancashire pulled off their third championship win at the expense of Hampshire, who were defeated at Liverpool by an innings and 104 runs—a good performance, seeing that the winners lacked the services of Macdonald.

The achievement of the day was that of Warwickshire, who got the best of a great finish against Yorkshire at Hull to win by 8 wickets just before stumps were drawn. This was Yorkshire's first defeat in the championship since 1924, when they were beaten by Surrey at the Oval.

Skelding bowled well for Leicestershire against Gloucestershire, and his 11 for 70 had a big say in the win.

Kent's win at Trent Bridge was also very largely a one-man affair, Ashdown getting a good century, not out. He got steady backing from Aines, an eighty-five minutes' stand by the pair realising 107.

The match at Northampton produced a keen finish, the home county winning after extra time by a margin of four wickets.

MIDDLESEX V. NEW ZEALAND.

At Lord's, Middlesex won by 3 wickets. Score—

NEW ZEALANDERS.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
R. C. Blunt c Livock b Durston	42	b Stevens	27
J. E. Mills b Durston	40	b Haig	3
M. L. Page c Stevens b Haig	0	c Tanner b Stevens	65
C. S. Dempster c Allen b Stevens	10	b Stevens	5
C. C. Dacre c Hendren b Haig	0	b Hearne	53
T. C. Lowry c Haig b Durston	34	c and b Stevens	5
K. C. James l.b.w. b Stevens	5	b Hearne	44
H. M. Morris b Shepherd	0	c Peach b O'Gorman	3
Hipkin c Jeacocke b Shepherd	0	c O'Gorman b Geary	56
Nichols c Shepherd b Peach	36	c Strudwick b Shepherd	65
Thompson not out	13	not out	25
G. Eastman c Strudwick b Fender	5	b Fender	12
Extras	17	Extras	13
Total	162	Total	356

BOWLING.

First Innings—Geary, 0 for 25; Peach, 3 for 58; Fender, 3 for 28; O'Gorman, 0 for 12; Shepherd, 3 for 22.

Second Innings—Geary, 2 for 53; Peach, 1 for 32; Fender, 3 for 73; Shepherd, 2 for 36; O'Gorman, 2 for 49.

SURREY—First Innings.

Hobbs c Eastman b Nichols	2	P. G. H. Fender b Douglas	13
Sandham c Hipkin b Douglas	230	Peach b Thompson	68
A. Jeacocke c Ashton b O'Connor	17	J. G. O'Gorman not out	42
Shepherd l.b.w. b O'Connor	0	Strudwick c Morris b Douglas	6
Gregory b Douglas	50	Extras	7
		Total (9 wkts.)...*435	

*Innings declared.

BOWLING.

First Innings—Nichols, 1 for 114; Eastman, 0 for 61; Douglas, 5 for 84; O'Connor, 2 for 98; Hipkin, 0 for 29; Kussell, 0 for 24; Thompson, 1 for 12.

LANCASHIRE V. HAMPSHIRE.

At Liverpool. Lancashire won by an innings and 104 runs. Score:—

HAMPSHIRE.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Newman c Whewell b Macdonald	5	l.b.w. b R. Tyldesley	16
Brown l.b.w b Macdonald	18	c and b Iddon	109
Kennedy c R. Tyldesley b Sibbles	66	b Watson	0
Mead c and b Macdonald	15	b Watson	2
Bowell b Iddon	1	c and b Iddon	19
J. P. Parker b Watson	10	c and b Iddon	5
Livsey c R. Tyldesley b Macdonald	12	b R. Tyldesley	21
Boyes not out	14	c Whewell b Watson	19
Harding l.b.w. b Macdonald	4	l.b.w b R. Tyldesley	1
Pothecary c Iddon b Sibbles	0	b Iddon	1
F. Gross c Watson b Sibbles	0	not out	0
Extras	8	Extras	6
Total	153	Total	199

BOWLING.

First Innings—Macdonald, 4 for 83; Sibbles, 4 for 59; R. Tyldesley, 0 for 18; Watson, 1 for 17; Iddon, 1 for 18.

Second Innings—Macdonald, 0 for 38; Sibbles, 0 for 34; R. Tyldesley, 3 for 34; Watson, 3 for 32; Iddon, 4 for 76.

LANCASHIRE—First Innings.

Watson c Pothecary b Brown	125	Iddon c Pothecary b Harfield	44
Hallows not out	333	Taylor not out	22
E. Tyldesley c Livsey b Kennedy	25	Extras	7
		Total (3 wkts.)...*456	

*Innings declared.

BOWLING.

First Innings—Kennedy, 1 for 105; Brown, 1 for 64; Boyes, 0 for 42; Harfield, 1 for 59; Gross, 0 for 95; Parker, 0 for 45; Pothecary, 0 for 49.

YORKSHIRE V. WARWICKSHIRE.

At Hull. Warwickshire won by 8 wickets. Score:—

YORKSHIRE.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Holmes c and b Quaife	46	c and b Santall	49
Sutcliffe c Smith b Calthorpe	1	c Smith b Mayer	2
Oldroyd c Calthorpe b Santall	67	b Santall	21
Leyland b Santall	40	b Quaife	8
Kilner c Quaife b Santall	8	b Quaife	36
Rhodes c Croom b Calthorpe	24	b Santall	6
Robinson l.b.w. b O'Connor	36	b Mayer	13
Macaulay b Mayer	6	c Santall b Mayer	4
Waddington b Mayer	0	b Mayer	7
A. W. Lupton st Smith b Quaife	12	c Quaife b Bates	0
Dolphin not out	18	not out	0
Extras	14	Extras	16
Total	272	Total	162

BOWLING.

Second Innings—Calthorpe, 0 for 38; Mayer, 4 for 51; Quaife, 3 for 30; Fox, 0 for 0; Santall, 3 for 27.

WARWICKSHIRE.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Kilner b Robinson	14	b Waddington	5
Smith b Waddington	38	c and b Waddington	8
Bates b Kilner	35	not out	23
Quaife b Macaulay	59		
Parsons c Macaulay b Kilner	136	not out	7
Croom l.b.w b Rhodes	14		
Hon. F. S. Calthorpe b Kilner	18		
Santall c Sutcliffe b Kilner	38		
Fox not out	21		
D. Kemp-Welch l.b.w. b Robinson	1		
Mayer b Kilner	12		
Extras	16		
Total	395	Total (2 wkts.)	43

BOWLING.

First Innings—Robinson, 2 for 60; Macaulay, 1 for 99; Waddington, 1 for 53; Kilner, 3 for 87; Rhodes, 1 for 48.

Second Innings—Robinson, 0 for 17; Waddington, 2 for 26.

LEICESTERSHIRE V. GLOUCESTERSHIRE.

At Leicester. Leicestershire won by 284 runs. Score:—

LEICESTERSHIRE.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Shipman c Hammond b Goddard	64	c Smith b Parker	54
Berry c Besant b Sinfield	25	b Sinfield	61
Armstrong c Dipper b Parker	0	l.b.w. b Parker	63
J. C. Bradshaw b Goddard	6	c Rowlands b Parker	9
G. H. Fowke c Morrison b Goddard	16	not out	30
Astill c Dipper b Parker	30	c Hammond b Parker	22
Geary c Hammond b Goddard	25	not out	14
Coulson b Parker	0		
Sidwell at Smith b Parker	40		
Bale not out	16		
Skelding b Goddard	19		
Extras	4	Extras	19
Total	245	Total (5 wkts.)	*271

*Innings declared.

BOWLING.

Second Innings—Hammond, 0 for 15; Goddard, 0 for 38; Parker, 4 for 61; Sinfield, 1 for 44; Bessant, 0 for 19; Morrison, 0 for 25.

GLOUCESTERSHIRE.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Dipper c Fowke b Skelding	32	c Shipman b Armstrong	32
Sinfield c Sidwell b Skelding	0	c Geary b Skelding	43
Smith c Sidwell b Geary	8	l.b.w b Skelding	18
Hammond c and b Geary	4	b Skelding	30
Bloodworth c Sidwell b Skelding	2	c Bradshaw b Skelding	6
W. H. Rowlands run out	7	b Geary	7
E. G. Morrison b Geary	19	b Geary	3
Pope c Sidwell b Skelding	0	st Sidwell b Geary	1
Parker b Skelding	0	c Sidwell b Skelding	0
Bessant c Sidwell b Geary	8	not out	4
Goddard not out	3	b Skelding	0
Extras	4	Extras	4
Total	87	Total	143

BOWLING.

Second Innings—Skelding, 6 for 38; Geary, 3 for 65; Astill, 0 for 18; Armstrong, 1 for 23.

DERBYSHIRE V. GLAMORGAN.

At Chesterfield. A draw. Score:—

DERBYSHIRE—First Innings.

Lee b Mercer	16	Worthington c Walford b Clay	98
Bowden st Sullivan b Mercer	17	G. R. Jackson c Sullivan b Mercer	48
Townsend c Sullivan b Mercer	3	Elliott b Ryan	2
Storer c Arnott b Mercer	27	Loney b Arnott	53
Slater c Walters b Clay	35	Shardlow not out	23
Hutchinson c Sullivan b Ryan	110	Extras	29
		Total	439

BOWLING.

First Innings—Mercer, 5 for 160; Clay, 2 for 77; Ryan, 3 for 41; E. Davies, 0 for 45; Arnott, 1 for 39; D. Davies, 0 for 15; Bates, 0 for 34.

GLAMORGAN.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
N. V. H. Riches b Townsend	63	c Slater b Lee	52
Eates c and b Shardlow	76	st Elliott b Lee	46
E. Davies b Shardlow	1	not out	10
C. F. Walters run out	4	b Lee	16
Bell c Hutchinson b Worthington	28	c Lee b Storer	6
Shakespeare b Jupp	14	b Nicholson	6
King b Jupp	0	l.b.w. b Jupp	4
C. B. Ponsonby b Clark	2	b Clark	20
A. J. Wilkes b Clark	0	b Woolley	20
Rogers st Bellamy b Jupp	13	not out	10
Hill b Clark	31	c Timms b Jupp	4
Extras	25	Extras	6
Total	188	Total	174

BOWLING.

Second Innings—Clark, 4 for 48; Thomas, 1 for 49; Nicholson, 2 for 34; Woolley, 1 for 12; Jupp, 2 for 25.

NORTHANTS V. WORCESTER.

At Northampton. Northamptonshire won by 4 wickets. Score:—

WORCESTERSHIRE.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Root b Clark	0	c Jupp b Thomas	18
J. B. Higgins b Clark	4	c Bellamy b Clark	1
Wright c Nicholson b Jupp	40	c Bellamy b Clark	10
Fox not out	56	c Nicholson b Clark	69
Tarbox st Bellamy b Jupp	0	b Nicholson	6
Bale c Wenley b Tate	22	c Langridge b Tate	32
G. F. Earle c Hollingdale b Tate	13	c Cornford b J. Parks	4
C. C. Case c Wenley b Tate	6	b J. Parks	14
J. Daniell c Cook b Wenley	6	c Cornford b Tate	24
J. C. White c Bowley b Tate	35	l.b.w. b Wenley	25
Luckes c Hollingdale b Tate	2	not out	17
W. T. Greswell b Wenley	30	b J. Parks	5
Hunt not out	16	c Wenley b J. Parks	18
Extras	5	Extras	21
Total	148	Total	266

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES.

Phœnix v. Clontarf. Phœnix Park.

St. Columba's College (S.C.T.) v. St. Andrew's College (S.C.T.). Rathfarnham.

Pembroke 2nd v. Y.M.C.A. (I.L.). Sydney Parade.

Mountjoy School v. C.U.S. Civil Service Ground, Phœnix Park.

King's Hospital (J.C.T.) v. Mountjoy School (J.C.T.). Blackhall place.

Dublin University 2nd v. Sandymount. College Park.

St. Andrew's College (under 14) v. Avoca School (under 14). Stillorgan road.

Clontarf—F. E. Buxton, J. J. Ledwidge, C. Lloyd, Captain W. R. O'Sullivan, W. C. Pemberton, R. Pike, A. J. White, A. R. White, J. M. Sweeney, C. P. Stuart, A. E. Webb.

Dublin University III. v. Merrion III.—Dublin University III. had an easy win over Merrion III., the scores being:—Merrion, 78 and 23; Dublin University, 166 for no wicket (O'Neill 103 not out, Greene 59 not out). Simms took twelve wickets for 49 runs for Trinity, doing the "hat trick" in the second innings. Power took five wickets for 38 altogether. Merrion batted one short in the first innings, and two short in the second.

BEVERLEY.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

Westwood Handicap—Victoria.
Kingston Selling—Eurasian.
Beverley Handicap—Bonnie Kelso.*
Hurn Selling—Pursue.
Bishop Burton Stakes—Brave Baby.
Welton Plate—King's Falloch.

2.15—WESTWOOD MAIDEN H'CAP PLATE of £200.

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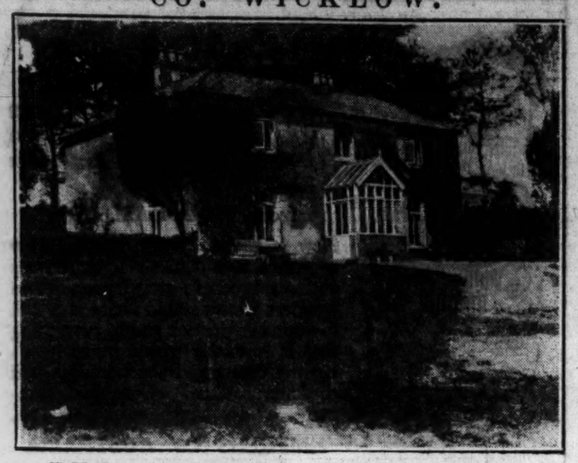

THE ROOKERY, NEWCASTLE.

HASKINS BROTHERS have received instructions from M. Moynihan, Esq. (who is devoting his attention to his business in Dun Laoghaire), to SELL BY AUCTION, on WEDNESDAY, 8th JUNE, on the premises, at three o'clock,

All Interest, Right and Title in extensive Farm, known as The Rookery, containing about 231 acres and 28 perches, Statute. Purchased November, 1900, under the Ashbourne Act. Annuity was £199; now £156 8s. 10d. P.L.V., £280 5/-.

The Residence contains 2 sitting, 5 bedrooms, maid's and man's rooms, bath, h. and c.; w.c.; large kitchen and dairy; good fowl house and yard near House. Farmyard, out of sight of House, contains housing for 80 head; stable (6), hay lofts, garage with loft, coach-house and man's room, corn lofts, engine house, turnip and boiler houses, piggeries; grain pit for 600 barrels. Sheep-dipping bath and an outside shed, 60 feet, for store cattle. Threshing shed 72 by 30; sheds, 60 x 22 and 45 x 25; implement house. A fine stream runs almost round the farm, every division having water. Two Workmen's Cottages (one vacant). The Land is well sheltered, and all of good quality; some of the divisions are fit to finish suitable stock; specially adapted to winter dairying. In 1924 Silver Cup was won for 2nd heaviest crop of mangolds in Free State from Sutton Seeds. All in grass and meadow, but one field, 10 I.A.; this is laid down with oats and grass seeds. There is a lot of heavy useful Timber. Most of the gates are of heavy iron. There is a valuable gravel pit on land adjoining road. The county road divides the Farm, which is about 1 mile Newcastle and Kilcoole Stations, 4 miles Greystones.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to

T. MONTGOMERY, Solicitor, 8 Parliament street, Dublin; or

HASKINS BROTHERS,
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(IN ONE OR MORE LOTS TO SUIT PURCHASERS.)

This Property (part of a large development scheme) comprises a block of new, substantially-built, attractive two-storey Dwellings just outside the village of Stillorgan.

Each House contains 2 sittingrooms, 3 bedrooms, bathroom (hot supply), cloakroom, combined kitchen and scullery, with trough, etc. Large hot linen press; gas, electric bells throughout. Copper piping for hot and cold water. There is garden in front, porched entrance, and bay window in front to both floors; garden at rear, with Out-offices and back entrance.

The situation is picturesque and most healthy, and the Tramway 'Bus to city passes a few hundred yards away. Clear possession of the entire five Houses will be given the purchaser.

The property will be leased for 999 years at a rent of £6 per House. The Poor Law Valuation is £18 per House, and the Houses are entitled to a partial remission of rates covering a period of 15 years.

The entire property in one lot would make a sound and remunerative investment. The Houses should let at substantial rents, and the purchaser would have the benefit for some years to come of the remission of rates. The annual outlay in repairs would be only nominal.

Seen only by Card to View, to be obtained from the Auctioneers. Conditions of Sale from

LITTLE, O'HUADHAIGH and PROUD, Solicitors, 12 Dawson street.

Further particulars, Orders to View, from

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HOUSE AND FURNITURE, FRIDAY NEXT, 27TH MAY.

Roslyn is an attractive House, in an attractive situation. It is semi-detached, has no basement, and contains 2 large reception rooms on the hall level, with folding doors; also cloakroom, tiled kitchen, large scullery, pantry. There are 4 bedrooms, maid's room, bathroom, with porcelain enamel bath and hand basin; linen room heated with copper cylinder; 2 w.c.'s; electric light throughout, gas laid on; garage; nice garden at rear. The front of the House is in red brick; the back of the House is compoed. Purchaser will get immediate possession.

The property is held for a term of 147 years from 1908. Head rent, £8. P.L. Valuation, £37. Rates, £24.

Messrs. NOONEY and DOWDALL, Solicitors, 11 College Green, Dublin; and Mullingar

THE HOUSE CAN ONLY BE SEEN ON ORDER TO VIEW FROM THE AUCTIONEERS.

Furniture on View on Thursday, 26th May, from 11 o'clock to 5 o'clock.

The House will be Sold at 12 o'clock, followed immediately by the Sale of the Furniture.

DOCKRELL LIMITED,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, M.I.A.A.,
SOUTH GREAT GEORGE'S STREET, DUBLIN.

ON VIEW TO-DAY. SALE TO-MORROW (THURSDAY).

RATHGAR—CHARLTON, COWPER ROAD.
FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.

MESSRS. GARVEY and GOOD, having Sold the Residence, are further instructed to SELL BY AUCTION THE EXCELLENT MODERN FURNITURE AND EFFECTS, including:—Inlaid Ebonised China Cabinet, Chesterfield Couch, in tapestry; Arm, Easy-and Occasional Chairs; Walnut and Mahogany Shaped Tables, Walnut Mirror-back Sideboard, Oak Roll-top Desk, Mahogany Centre Table, Mahogany Dumb Waiter, Mahogany Bookcase, Mahogany and Walnut Diningroom Chairs, Walnut and Gilt Overmantels, Brass Curbs and Brasses, Oak and Marble Clocks, Oil Paintings, Water Colours, Engravings, Oak and Ash Bedroom Suites, ditto Bedsteads, All-Brass Bedsteads, Hair Mattresses, Axminster and Brussels Stair and Room Carpets, China and Glass, Screw Mangle, Kitchen Furniture, Garden Roller, Garden Tools, and Miscellaneous Lots.

GARVEY & GOOD, M.I.A.A.,
CONSULTING VALUERS AND AUCTIONEERS,
21 LINCOLN PLACE, DUBLIN.

SALE TO-DAY IN CONTINUATION.
"ROSSBEGH" SHREWSBURY ROAD, BALLSBRIDGE.
FURNISHING AND APPOINTMENTS.

TO-DAY'S ORDER OF SALE:—Furniture and Pictures in the diningroom, drawingroom, morning-room, hall, staircase, 1st landing, 2nd landing and bedroom No. 1 (Lots 232 to 491, inclusive).

THE 20 H.P. (1923) DAIMLER LANDAULETTE HAS BEEN SOLD PRIVATELY AND WITHDRAWN FROM THE SALE.

WM. MONTGOMERY & SON, M.I.A.A.,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS,
GAINSBORO' HOUSE, 24 SUFFOLK STREET, DUBLIN.

FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD APPOINTMENTS.

BENNETT & SON, LTD., will SELL BY AUCTION on TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), commencing at 1 o'clock, at their SALEROOMS, 6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN,

MAHOGANY AND WALNUT FURNITURE, SATINWOOD, MAHOGANY AND OAK BEDSTEADS, SHOP FITTINGS, CASES AND MIRRORS; WALNUT AND ASH BEDROOM SUITES, TABLE GLASS, CHINA AND PLATED WARE, OIL PAINTINGS AND ENGRAVINGS; 2 "Golden Sunbeam" Ladies' Bicycles (nearly new).

On View Morning of Sale. Purchasers pay 5 per cent. auction fees.

BENNETT & SON, LIMITED, M.I.A.A.,
AUCTIONEERS & VALUERS, 6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN.

SALE TO-DAY AT 12 O'CLOCK.

ADAM'S SALEROOMS,
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AUCTION SALE OF A LARGE COLLECTION OF VERY SUPERIOR ANTIQUE AND MODERN FURNITURE, Etc., comprising briefly:—Broadwood Grand Piano, Violin; Vernis Martin, Inlaid Sheraton and Tulip Wood and Louis China Cabinets; costly Carved and Gilded Adam Mantel, Pier, and Pairs of Girandole Mirrors; 3 Antique ditto Convex Mirrors and Candelabra; Mah. and Walnut Overmantels, French Jardiniere, Occasional and Gift Console Tables; Antique Falling Leaf, Envelope, Card and Loo Tables; Mah. Inlaid, Pedestal, and other Writing Tables; Davenports; 2-door Sectional and Revolving Bookcases; Chesterfield and other Couches and Settees; Antique Papier-maché, Easy and Occasional Chairs; Set 5 Gilt French Chairs; Fine Old Georgian Mah. Sideboard, ball and claw feet; Carved Mah. Mirror-back Sideboards and Dumb Waiters; Drawingroom and Diningroom Suites; Antique Plate Bucket, Walnut Hall Stand, Tables and Chairs; Plant Pedestals, Gilt Empire, Ormolu and Marble Clocks and Vases; Vienna, Dresden and Empire Vases, Plates, Figures, etc.; Old Oil Paintings, Chiffoniers, Fair Adam Frustrums, Bohemian, Turkey Velvet Pile, Axminster and Brussels Room and Stair Carpets and Rugs; good Deal Presses and Wardrobes; Kitchen Mangles, Dressers and Utensils; Prams, Cycles; Iron Safe, Meat Safes; Lawn Mower; Sets of Chippendale and Sheraton Diningroom Chairs. On View To-day 10 till 12. Sale To-day at 12 o'clock. Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

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EXCELLENT RESIDENTIAL FARM

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION,
On the Premises,
AT CASTLETOWN, FINNEA,
On SATURDAY, 28th MAY, 1927,
At 1 o'clock (summer time),

294a. 1r. 25p. of the Lands of Castletown Lower, with splendid Residence and out-offices thereon. Annuity to LDE. £121 15s. P.L.V. £143 10s.

Also another Part of the Lands of Castletown Lower, containing 75a. 2r. 5p., and 1a. 3r. 24p. of Lands of Derrycrave. Annuity £53 11s. 10d. P.L.V. £55 10s.

The Residence is a very nice compact building, with modern conveniences; good out-offices, garden, etc. The Land, for the most part, is prime fattening and finishing quality; good turbary attached. Castletown is about 5 miles from Castlepollard and about same distance from Oldcastle, in an excellent sporting district; good fishing and shooting, and within easy reach of meets of three Hunts.

Sale for the Executrix of the late William Langford McCulloch, Esq.

JOHN HALPENNY, Esq., Solicitor, Castlepollard.

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WEDNESDAY, 15th JUNE.
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SALE OF

FEE-SIMPLE DWELLING HOUSE,
WITH OFFICES AND PADDOCKS, IN THE VILLAGE OF SLANE.

WE have received instructions from the Exor. of the late Miss E. Poyntz, deceased, TO SELL BY AUCTION, in the Saleroomg, 50 Laurence street, Drogheda, on SATURDAY, 11th JUNE, 1927, at ONE O'CLOCK (Summer Time),

All that the Dwelling House and Out-offices, with plot of ground, containing 2 roods 5 perches Statute measure, or thereabouts, situate in the Village of Slane, Barony of Slane, Upper, and County of Meath, held in fee-simple, free of rent. Poor Law Valuation £14 10s.

This attractive fee-simple property consists of a comfortable 7-roomed 2-storeyed slated Dwelling House, in which the late Miss Poyntz resided for many years, with commodious yards approached by side gate from the street. The out-offices are extensive, including dairy stables, cattle houses, barn, with lofts, sheds, etc., and there is a useful small paddock at the rear.

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WITH VACANT POSSESSION,
No. 40 MARY STREET—KNOWN FOR A CENTURY AS

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Held under lease for 100 years from 1886 at the yearly rent of £64 12s. 3d. Also the Yard and Premises at rear of 41 Mary street, which are held under lease for 27½ years from 1919 at the annual rent of £20.

Substantially-built Premises of imposing appearance, two storeys over ground floor, comprising a spacious double-fronted Shop, with large display windows, overhead gallery, and mosaic tiled floor; separate halldoor entrance to upper portion, which consists of two well lighted rooms (each measuring about 38 feet by 24 feet), one of which is fitted with two marble mantelpieces and antique brass grates. Seven other apartments, combined kitchen and scullery, four w.c.'s, lavatories, with tiled bowl basins. At the rear of the shop is a suite of offices, extensive concreted store with roof light. The premises extend, with the full width of frontage, to Chapel lane. This rear portion consists of comparatively recently built stone and brick Warehouse, having five spacious floors, each measuring about 40 feet by 20 feet. The top floor is fitted with Modern Chain Windlass, serving the goods openings on each floor. There is also extensive cellarage.

This Property is situate in one of the leading arteries of the North City district, and forms a very important investment, as the houses in the immediate vicinity command very substantial rents.

Further particulars and Conditions of Sale from

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ANDREW J. KEOGH, AUCTIONEER, 10 LR. ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN.

ON VIEW TO-DAY.
SALE TO-MORROW (THURSDAY).
EXECUTORS' SALE. ON THE PREMISES,

CHURCH STREET, HOWTH,
LEASEHOLD INTEREST AND FURNITURE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Sale by instructions of the Executors of the late Mrs. Lowe of the valuable House and Premises situated at Church street, Howth, in which the late Mrs. Lowe carried on an extensive and profitable business for upwards of half a century.

The Premises comprise a Shop and Dwellinghouse, containing about seventeen apartments, held under lease from the Earl of Howth for 150 years from 1st May, 1892, subject to the yearly rent of £7. Messrs. CASEY, CLAY and COLLINS, Solicitors, 21 St. Andrew street.

Also the entire Furniture and Effects, including:—Inlaid Walnut Chiffonier, Oval Inlaid Walnut Table, Sets of Mahogany and other Chairs, Couches, Walnut and other Overmantels, Whatnots, Antique Hall Table, Walnut Regulator Clock, Engravings and Oil Paintings, Mahogany Enclosed Cabinets, Mahogany Card and Falling Leaf Tables, Singer Cabinet Sewing Machine, Marble Clocks, Bookcase and Cabinet, Lamps, Carpets, Linoleum, Mahogany Hall Stand and Chairs, etc., and the contents of about twelve bedrooms.

LEASEHOLD INTEREST will be SOLD at 12 o'clock. FURNITURE SALE begins at 11 sharp.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO., AUCTIONEERS,
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LAWLOR, BRISCOE & CO., LTD., M.I.A.A.,
'PHONE 155. AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS.

Auctioneers will greatly oblige by posting on Wednesday all Advertisements they require inserted in Saturday's issue of the "Irish Times."

THE MANAGER.

CONTRACTS.

GRANGEGORMAN MENTAL HOSPITAL.

COLD STORAGE INSTALLATION

The Joint Committee of Management invite Tenders for a Cold Storage Installation in the Meat Room of Grangegorman Mental Hospital, capable of holding 16 quarters of beef and 4 sides of mutton, with a separate space or cabinet for six milk churns each 22 inches diameter, and also an Ice Making Plant capable of producing 4 stone of ice daily. The plant must be capable of producing in the cold chamber or chambers a temperature of 35 degrees Fahrenheit within six hours after the door has been closed.

It is essential that intending contractors shall visit the institution and inspect the meat room and adjoining premises, which can be made available for housing the refrigerating plant.

All building work (including foundations for machinery), except the fixing of insulating material, will be carried out by the Joint Committee's staff to the contractor's plans and specifications (which must accompany Tender), but the contractor must supply and fix in position the insulating material and all electric and refrigerating machinery with necessary connections.

The principal cold chamber must be provided with rails and roller hooks similar to those already existing in meat room to enable meat to be easily conveyed to and from meat room.

Contractors will be allowed to tender for their own systems, and must furnish full particulars of same and state results to be achieved.

Each firm tendering must state the maximum time required for the completion of the contract. The Joint Committee in allocating the contract will be largely influenced by the time required for its execution.

Payment of 80 per cent. of the contract sum will be made on the certificate of the Resident Medical Superintendent that the work has been completed to his satisfaction and has fulfilled the required conditions. The balance will be retained for a period of six months, during which the contractor shall be responsible for the maintenance of the plant and installation.

The contract must be executed entirely by Trades Union labour.

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JAMES J. DOYLE,
Chief Clerk and Accountant.
Grangegorman Mental Hospital, Dublin,
May 24th, 1927.

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